



Grape Varieties **40% Syrah**  
**30% Cabernet Sauvignon**  
**30% Merlot**

Winemaker	<b>Christian Coco</b>
Closure	<b>Agglomerated Cork</b>
ABV	<b>13.5%</b>
Acidity	<b>5.4g/L</b>
Wine pH	<b>3.68</b>
Bottle Sizes	<b>75cl</b>
Notes	<b>Vegetarian, Vegan, Practising Organic</b>

## PRODUCER

Poggio al Tesoro is a 70 hectare property in Bolgheri acquired in 2002 by the Allegrini family. The first vineyard they bought, Le Sondraie, is next door to Ornellaia and was previously rented by them. It is 50 hectares in size and is planted with Merlot, Cabernet Franc, Cabernet Sauvignon and a small amount of Vermentino.

## VINEYARDS

Fruit for this wine is sourced from the Le Sondraie vineyard in the port city of Livorno, on the west coast of Tuscany. The vines face west/south-west and are planted at an altitude of just 25 metres above sea level. Soils here are well-drained and composed of clay and sandy silt with a high presence of magnesium and iron. The 15-year-old vines are spur cordon and guyot trained with a very high density of planting (7,936 vines per hectare), producing low yields.

## VINTAGE

The 2023 vintage was complex but fascinating. The vines followed a regular, if not excellent, trend in the vineyards. There was a return to the harvest rhythms of the past, without the need to accelerate the ripening process due to high temperatures. The first months of the year were milder than usual, but the spring saw many rain episodes. The summer began at the end of June, characterised by very hot days that lasted well into the second week of August when the rain came back, allowing for the perfect ripeness of the grapes which arrived at the winery showing a fantastic flavour concentration and moderate sugar levels - the perfect combination for an elegant and powerful wine.

## VINIFICATION

After destemming and a gentle pressing, fermentation took place in stainless-steel tanks at temperatures of 26-28°C for about two weeks. Following malolactic fermentation, the wine was transferred to second-use French oak barriques where it was aged.

## TASTING NOTES

This Syrah-dominant blend displays a robust, well-defined profile with intense aromas of red fruit, blackberry, white pepper and spice. The palate offers a soft texture featuring dynamic red berry, herbal and sweet toasted notes, balanced by refreshing acidity that enhances drinkability.