



Artigiano

ARTISAN
ITALIAN WINES

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Tasting Note

This is the embodiment of everything a great Rosé should be – crisp, dry and eminently drinkable. In the glass it displays an enticing salmon colour with hints of coral, while on the nose it opens up with fresh fruit aromas of redcurrant and raspberry, and delicate floral notes. These delicious flavours continue through to the palate, which is crisp and aromatic with well-balanced acidity and a refreshing finish. Pairs beautifully with all seafood, in particular crustaceans.

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Artigiano is an exciting brand of artisan wines, made and imported by McLaren Vale's Aramis Vineyards. Each wine is produced in consultation with Aramis's own winemakers with the sole aim of capturing the essence of classic styles from across Italy, using local varietals and traditional winemaking methods. The range aims to set a benchmark for vibrant flavours and outstanding value for money.

The Region

Puglia is nestled into the heel of Italy's boot – a rural southern region that forms the agricultural heart of the country. Whitewashed dwellings nestle amongst ancient olive groves, whilst vineyards sprawl lazily in every direction as far as the eye can see. This is one of Italy's most prolific wine regions and one that in recent times has attracted many international winemakers, who have recognised the inherent potential of the land and wish to share their passion for producing quality wines. It is on the Salento peninsula in the very south of the region that both Negroamaro and Primitivo grow best.

The Grape – Negroamaro

Native to Italy's Puglia region, Negroamaro is thought to have been grown in the region for some 1500 years, and competes with Primitivo for recognition as its most important variety. It is a dark skinned grape that for many years was used to add colour and palate weight to the well-known wines of Northern Italy, but has emerged in its own right in recent decades, celebrated for its hearty and rustic, rich flavours.



Region: Puglia

Status: IGT

ALC/VOL: 12.0%

Variety: Negroamaro

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