

FONTERUTOLI 2008

Selected among Fonterutoli's 120 different parcels, after the master blend of its "big brother" Castello di Fonterutoli. It's the estate's "second vin", the most widely known and distributed.

Appellation: Chianti Classico DOCG
Winery: Castello di Fonterutoli

Winery location: Loc. Fonterutoli - Commune of

Castellina in Chianti (SI)

Grape varieties: 90% Sangiovese,

10% Malvasia Nera, Colorino and Merlot

13,80% vol.

Total acidity: 5,80%

Alcohol:

Bottling:

Food pairing:

Vineyards location: 5 different vineyard sites,

altitude: 220 - 510 m. (722 - 1,673 ft) a.s.l.

Soil: Limestone
Vineyards age: 10 - 23 years

Training system: Spur cordon-training and Guyot

Nr. of vines per hectare: 4,500 - 7,500

Harvest: Hand picked from September 3rd

Fermentation temperature: 28 - 30° C **Period of maceration:** 16 - 18 days

Aging: 12 months in small french oak barrels

(225 lt / 40% new) February 2010

Available on the market: April 2010

Production: 320,000 bottles

Formats: 375 ml - 750 ml - 1,5 lt

First vintage:

Aging potential:

Beginning 1900
Up to 10 years

Key descriptors: A well proportioned, elegant body, dark berry,

fresh spice flavors, intense, smooth taste Aged cold cuts, dark sauce pastas, BBQ,

boiled meats with spicy sauces, fried vegetables



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