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SICILIAN RED WINES

Feudo Montoni Nero d'Avola Lagnusa 2015 Sicilia

The nose is fruity, gourmand, racy, voluptuous and quite elegant. It reveals notes of blackberry cream, cassis and cherry combined with fine touches of juicy berries, earth / terracotta, a discreet note of blueberry, fine touches of spices as well as an imperceptible hint of Cuban pepper and an imperceptible toasted hint. The palate is fruity, gourmande, harmonious, «clean», racy, delicate and offers a nice suzivity, fat, a fine unctuousity, a beautiful precision / definition, minerality, a good guideline, a beautiful matter and a fine fresh frame. On the palate this wine expresses notes of ripe cherry, dried raspberry and fine notes of crushed cassis, earth associated with fine touches of small ripe / juicy berries, zan, caramelized oak as well as subtle hints of sweet spices. Tannins are fine and well-built. Good length and good persistence. The persistence is gourmande and offers touches of chocolate, sweet spices and a discreet hint of roasted hazelnut.

Score : 16.25

Feudo Montoni – Perricone del Core 2016 Sicilia

The nose is aromatic, fine, fruity, racy, elegant, finely enchanting, finely powerful and offers a very slight intensity (but full of finesse). It reveals notes of black cherry, blueberry and hints of cassis associated with slight earthy notes/terroir, plum, discreet hints of sour cherry, raspberry as well as a discreet hint of chocolate, Cuban pepper, licorice and caramelization/ripe almond. The palate is nicely fruity, well-balanced, nicely racy, slightly tight and offers a slight density, a slight minerality, roundness, a slight suzivity, a fresh frame, a beautiful expression/definition as well as a slight tension. In the mouth this wine expresses slight hints of ripe blueberry, wild Boysenberries and discreet(very) slight hints of ripe raspberry, earth associated with slight notes of plum, licorice/zan, cardamom, a subtle hint of chocolate as well as a discreet hint of racy minerality. Tannins are fine, racy and very discretely firm. Beautiful gourmandise on the finish. Good length and good persistence. A beautiful, racy wine!

Score : 16.25

Feudo Montoni – Vrucara 2013 Sicilia

The nose is fruity, aromatic, gourmand and offers depthness and concentration. It reveals notes of crushed Bigarreau cherry, crushed ripe cassis and fine notes of ripe wild strawberry, blackberry associated with subtle touches of blueberry, licorice, caramelized oak, dark chocolate, a subtle touch of black olive as well as an imperceptible touch of olive and green cardamom. The wine is marked by its terroir. The palate is fruity, well-balanced, racy, very gourmande and offers a nice definition / delicacy, a beautiful suzivity / fat, depthness, a mineral frame, complexity as well as a silky and slightly unctuous matter. On the palate this wine expresses notes of cassis jam, blackberry and fine notes of blueberry associated with touches of ripe red fruits (red berries, cherry), touches of chocolate, toasted oak, vanilla as well as a subtle touch of praline, terroir / soil and black olive. Tannins are well-built. Good length. There are a hint of minerality, a hint of melted chocolate and a hint of caramel on the finish.

Score : 16+

SICILIAN ROSÉ WINES

Feudo Montoni Nerello Mascalese – Rose di Adele 2016 Sicilia DOC

The nose is fruity, gourmand and offers minerality as well as a fine richness. It reveals notes of fleshy raspberry, Tagada strawberry and small notes of redcurrant jam combined with a hint of fresh blackberry as well as a very discreet hint of flowers and subtle hints of garrigue. The palate is fruity, gourmande, fine and offers delicacy, freshness, minerality, a beautiful grain, a nice depthness, an acid frame as well as a beautiful and finely silky matter. On the palate this wine expresses notes of crushed raspberry and crushed redcurrant combined with fine touches of blackberry, Granny Smith apple as well as small notes of flint and a discreet touch of citrus zest / mandarin. Good length. Beautiful persistence.

Score : 16.25

SICILIAN WHITE WINES

Feudo Montoni Grillo Timpa 2016 Sicilia DOC

The nose is fruity, aromatic, nicely gourmande, fresh, straight and well-balanced. It reveals notes of exotic fruits, apple and quenette combined with small notes of fresh white flowers as well as a touch of candied lemon / pineapple in syrup and terroir. The palate is fruity, well-balanced, a bit aerial and offers a nice acid frame, a beautiful minerality / freshness, gourmandise, a fine straightness as well as a nice matter. On the palate this wine expresses notes of exotic fruits (quenette, passion fruit) associated with touches of crushed / ripe apple, white flowers (honeysuckle, lilac ...) as well as a subtle touch of flint and zest of lime / yuzu. Good length and beautiful persistence. There is a discreet hint of rocky / saline minerality on the persistence. There is a discreet touch of bitterness on the aftertaste.

Score : 15.75+

Feudo Montoni Catarratto del Masso 2016 Sicilia DOC

The nose is fruity, racy, relatively powerful and offers a certain purity, a fine minerality and a fine concentration. It reveals notes of fresh lemon, crushed plum and fine notes of citrus associated with a touch of zest, flint / minerality and imperceptible / discreet hints of olive (in the background). The palate is fruity, perfectly balanced and offers a nice definition, a very nice freshness, a beautiful acid frame, suzivity, a nice fat, a very fine unctuousity, a beautiful dynamism, a small aerial side and tension. On the palate this wine expresses notes of ripe green apple, lemon and small notes of clementine associated with touches of citrus zest (lime, grapefruit ...), fine touches of flint, a subtle hint of quince, crushed pear as well as an imperceptible toasted touch and almond. Good length.

Score : 16.5