



WINERY	Cantine Sant'Agata
WINE	Barbera d'Asti DOCG 'Baby'
REGION	Piemonte
VARIETAL	100% Barbera d'Asti
LOCATION OF VINEYARDS	Agliano Terme e Cassine
ORIENTATION	South/Southeast
ALTITUDE	200–350 meters above sea level
TYPE OF PLANTING	Sustainable
SOIL	Calcareous clay
TYPE OF CULTIVATION	Guyot
VINIFICATION	Maceration for 8-10 days at a temperature of 28-30° C. Malolactic fermentation in stainless steel tanks.
AGING	6 months in stainless steel. No oak ageing.
ALCOHOL CONTENT	13.5%
TOTAL PRODUCTION	130,000 bottles
OENOLOGIST	Claudio Cavallero
NOTES	Barbera d'Asti is one of the most widely planted grape varieties in Piedmont: it is a young, fresh, fruity wine and because of its good acidity it is a perfect accompaniment to any meal.

#### TASTING NOTES

This juicy mid-weight wine is an example of why Barbera d'Asti is so popular. It is called 'Baby' because it is young, fruity, fun, pure fruit unmasked by any oak ageing. Everything about this wine is easygoing, from the reasonable price and simple twist-off screw cap all the way to the soft tannins on the finish. In between you'll get an easy-sipping trifecta of fruit, spice and acidity. Lip-smacking, cherry-like acidity enlivens the briary, spicy character of the wine's fruitiness. Mild tannins make it perfect for current consumption. It can be enjoyed at any time, alone or with food, especially coldcuts, meats and all sorts of pastas. Simply unscrew a bottle when a take-out pizza arrives at the door!

#### ABOUT THE WINERY

Sant'Agata winery is located in Scurzolengo, one of the seven communities in the Asti province of Piedmont where the Ruché Castagnole DOCG wine is produced. A family-owned wine estate, established in 1916, was founded when Stefano Cavallero built his farmhouse and wine-cellar in the traditional style. The winery has since been managed by Franco Cavallero and his brother, Claudio (oenologist since 1990). Cantine Sant'Agata's vineyards insist upon an ecologically sensitive approach to pest control, which will ensure low yield per hectare and non toxic ambient impact. The wines are produced in very limited areas which stand out as some of the most important in the Piedmont region today. The winery's product range includes the famous and popular Barbera along with the more unique and sophisticated Ruché.

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