

## Capannelle 50 & 50 Toscana

COUNTRY REGION GRAPE VINTAGE

Italy Tuscany Sangiovese (Capannelle), Merlot (Avignonesi) 2016

## **ABOUT THE DOMAINE**

Wine producers of the highest quality located in Gaiole in Chianti, Siena, the Capannelle estate extends over 20 hectares (16 hectares of vines) and produces approximately 80.000 bottles of wine a year. The history of Capannelle wine production dates back to 1974, when Raffaele Rossetti, a Roman businessman, purchased the 16<sup>th</sup> century farmhouse. Extensive renovations and restoration have resulted in a unique luxury property producing exceptional wines. Today, it is owned by James B. Sherwood, founder and shareholder of the Orient – Express Hotels LTD.

## **WINEMAKING**

Fermentation on the skins in truncated cone-shaped oak vats, with 15-20 days of maceration. Aged in French barriques for 24 months.

## **TASTING NOTES**

Deep, dark ruby colour. Elegant and refined, with fresh notes of red and black berries, followed by sweet spices and an underlying, balsamic touch. On the palate: full bodied and silky soft, with an elegant, fruity core and a long lingering, pleasantly dry finish. Great ageing potential. Suggested food pairings: strongly-flavoured meats, roasted wild fowl, game, hard cheeses.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol by volume
13.5%