

Poderi Elia

Langhe Nebbiolo D.O.C. "Padrun"

Federico Stella makes one of the finest Barbarescos in the world, and they have for three generations. But they have never applied their brilliance to a "basic" Nebbiolo -- until now. Finally, we get the intense, vibrant, old-vine fruit of the highest altitude estate in Barbaresco in a fresh, bright wine that makes your lips smack with tangy cherries, warm raspberry, salty chalk, cedar and chocolate. A great value that offers a connoisseur's Piedmont for everyday enjoyment.



Piemonte, Italia. (Town of Neive)
9 hectares. 350-400 meters.



White Tufo (clay and sand).



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Guyot. 4,000-5,000 vines per hectare. 1-1.5 bottles per plant average yield.



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Fermentation in temperature controlled tanks for 25-27 days.



100% Nebbiolo.



2nd and 3rd passage French oak.



2.8 grams per liter.



12 months in the barrel. 6 months in the bottle.



5.1 grams per liter.



500 cases.



13.5% by volume.



Beef with garlic and pepper sauce or mushroom risotto.



