



## Mezzatinta

COLLINE NOVARESÌ

Denominazione di Origine Controllata

NEBBIOLO

ROSÉ WINE

VINEYARD AND CELLAR

**Grape variety** 100% Nebbiolo

**Soil** clay, fluvioglacial origin

**Harvest** hand-picking of the grapes in small boxes, with careful selection in the vineyard and in the cellar

**Winemaking** whole bunch soft pressing, vinification in refrigerated steel tanks at a controlled temperature

**Ageing** 6 months in steel tanks, at least 6 months in bottle

**Bottle** Burgundian type, 750 ml

**Closure** screw cap with controlled permeability

ORGANOLEPTIC CHARACTERISTICS

**Colour** pale pink, orange reflections

**Perfume** fine and elegant bouquet, hawthorn, ancient rose, blackberry, wild strawberry, vanilla berry, mint leaf, balsamic notes

**Flavour** fresh, juicy, mineral, balanced, savoury, Golden Delicious apple, white peach, clean finish

**Serving temperature** 8-10 °C

**Suggested pairings** ideal as an aperitif, excellent with fish and white meat dishes

RATINGS AND REVIEWS

(2020) **17+ / 20** – **Jancis Robinson** – “Pale onion pink. Firm, minerally nose with aromatic hints of aromatic cranberry. Sappy and fresh cranberry and finely textured. Pretty impressive rosato and once you realise it is made of Nebbiolo you truly recognise it.” (Walter Speller – JancisRobinson.com)

(2020) **90 / 100** – **Kerin O’Keefe** – “Made entirely with Nebbiolo, this serious rosato opens with delicate scents of red forest berry, blue flower, dog rose and an unusual scent recalling beeswax. Vinified in steel tanks and aged for another six months in steel followed by bottle aging, the elegant palate offers crushed raspberry, sour cherry and apple before an almost salty saline finish. Bright acidity keeps it energized.” (Kerin O’Keefe – kerinokeefe.com)

(2020) **94 / 100** – **Winepilot** – “A lovely onion skin colour. Equal parts bitter and fresh on the palate, with orange rind, mandarin, amaro, preserved lemon. A shimmer of tannin to the sides, and lovely carry of dried rose, musk, and orange zest through the palate. This is not your throw-down Rosato, but a vinous, structured, and complex wine of textural complexity and savoury appeal. Delicious.” (Tom Kline – Winepilot.com)