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GIACOSA FRATELLI Barolo

DENOMINAZIONE DI ORIGINE CONTROLLATA E GARANTITA

 **CATEGORY:** Bold Reds



Pack Size: 6/750ml
UPC: 8003738100044

OVERVIEW

Giacosa Fratelli is a 5th-generation family-run, Piedmont winery founded in 1895 by sharecropper Giuseppe Giacosa, who bought their Neive winery after winning the Italian lottery. The family farms 50 hectares of vines across Piedmont including Monforte d'Alba and Castiglione Falletto in Barolo and Neive in Barbaresco. The family, including next generation twin brothers Mauro and Alessandro, deeply believe in reducing their consumption and carbon emissions. They work sustainably in the vineyard and winery - soon to be a zero emissions facility - to preserve the terroir and history of these traditional Piemonte wines.

VINTAGE

RAINFALL: 19.68 inches/year. Below average.
BLOOM: End of May
WEATHER: Hot & dry vintage. A rainy year until May.
HARVEST: October 5th, 2020
GRAPES: Average Brix 25.3

SITE

Grapes from Castiglione Falletto and Monforte. The vineyards have different exposure.
ELEVATION: 980-1345 ft
SOILS: Marine sedimentation and muddy.
VINES: 3500 plants/ha | Average age of vines: 8-48 years old
YIELDS: 7 tons per hectare

100% Nebbiolo
Nieve, Piedmont, Italy
14.5% Alc. by Vol.
Organically Produced

Newly Released Vintage
Press Scores Coming Soon



TASTING NOTES

The nose and palate share notes of strawberry, cedar, and tar. This medium to full-bodied wine is drinkable now or in a few years.

PAIRING SUGGESTIONS

Excellent with red meats (roasted, skewered, or grilled) or wild game.

WINEMAKING & TECHNICAL DATA

FERMENTATION: Stainless steel fermentation and aging in oak barrels for 2 years.
BARRELS: 2 years oak
AGING: Matured in wooden casks for two years and one year in the bottle. A wine suited to long aging.
PH: 3.5 | **TA:** 5.57
BOTTLING DATE: February 27th, 2024