

TENUTA TASCANTE

CONTRADA SCIARANUOVA V.V. 2020

Sciaranuova, one of the four contrade (districts) in which we live and work, is located at an average elevation of 730 meters a.s.l., between Montelaguardia and Passopisciaro. Spanning 14.40 hectares, 4.9 hectares of which are vineyards, characterized by terraces with dry stone walls and over 7 hectares of chestnut groves. It has a degrading morphology from South-West to North-East with an average slope of 8.5%. The territory in which the vineyards of the Contrada Sciaranuova are located is characterized by formations of volcanic origin between 40,000 - 4,000 years old.

Grapes: Nerello Mascalese

Appellation: Rosso Etna DOC

Production area: North slopes of Etna volcano - Contrada Sciaranuova - Randazzo, Catania - Sicily

Soil: volcanic formations that are between 40,000 and 4,000 years old

Age of vineyard: 1961

Elevation: 730 m a.s.l.

Exposure: north-south

Training system: espalier

Pruning system: spur-pruned cordon

Vines per ha: 4,160

Yields per ha: 68 q/l

Harvest: October 20th, 2020

Fermentation: traditional in red

Fermentation temperature: 25-30°C

Duration of fermentation: 8 days

Malolactic fermentation: full

Ageing: 12 hl Slavonian oak barrels for 12 months

Alcohol content: 13% Vol.

Wine analytical data: pH 3.69 - TA 6.69 g/l - RS 0.5 g/l - TE 27.1 g/l

