



## From the hills of Lake Maggiore The wines of Verbano varesino

verboso rosso

# Lively red wine igt ronchi varesini

### Production area:

Hills of southern Varese Verbano at Angera in the locality Castabbio and at Ranco in the locality Caravalle facing south, southwest. Altitude of 250 m above sea level.

Vines: Nebbiolo, Merlot and Uva Rara.

Culture system: branch renewed, revegetation, fertilization.

### Parameters of production:

Maximum production: 9 tonnes/ha thinning, harvesting choice, short cold maceration, fermentation at controlled temperature, coexistence on the lees in stainless steel until spring.

### Analytical parameters:

Min. natural alcohol content: 12,50% vol. Acid value: 5‰ Net dry extract: 22‰.

### **Characteristics:**

It's vibrant, ruby red color with fragrant fruity aromas within which sprout those of red fruit. It has a good body, is elegant and easy to drink, balanced with good length.

# Serving temperature: 18°

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### Serve with:

Due to its characteristics it can be considered a wine for all meals. Accompanies meat and even fish dishes salty or stewed.

### the origin of the name

It's one of the etymological origins of the Latin name Verbano; it means "from the different and easy converse" or dialects of the inhabitants of the lake, "Multis verbis" or "verbose" people.

### geography and climate

From a cartographic classic of Lake Maggiore or Verbano it sees, in its configuration, the image of a man's leg from the knee slightly curved. From reading a guide published in 1870 shows that the basin of Verbano was, at one time, a large lagoon; the continuous evoparazione of such a vast area of water influence in the scorching heat and temper the harshness of the climate.

### the link with the local art

From the same guide cited above reads as follows: manifest evidence of "mite aere e dolce clima" yet the fact that these shores and hills, and in the past had been fruitful and flourishing olive groves; they still maintain large crops of vineyards that give good fruit and generous: the vineyards of Rocca of Angera can be compared with the most famous of Piemonte.