

## POGGIO AI MERLI

Tuscany showed to be a fantastic ground for Merlot vines, with renowned wines all over the world like Masseto. This Merlot in purity of Castellare, thanks to the strategic position of the vines, has a unique character you may find only in the best International Merlot wines. And, once again, mainly for its elegance. Since the first vintage has been defined a monument to excellent wines.



**First year of production:** 1999

**Yearly bottle production:** 5000

**Grapes:** Merlot in purity

**Vinification:** steel

**Aeving:** barrique - 1/3 new

**Production area:** Castellina in Chianti (SI)

**Vines height:** mt. 350/400

**Type of ground:** Calcareous

**Growth system:** Spur pruned cord

**Plant density:** 6000 plants for hectare

**Age of productive vines:** 5 years

**Hectare grape gain:** 30/40 Ql

**Time of vintage:** First days of September

**Fermentation tank material:** Inox - Thermo-controlled

**Working temperature:** 28°

**Working time:** 18/25 days

**Manolactic fermentation:** Done

**Type of woods:** French durmast of 5 HI or 2,25 HI - Barriques of 225 lt. different woods

**Lenght of pre-bottling refinement:** from 15 to 30 months

**Production stability:** Natural

**Bottle refinement:** 12 months

**Vintage not produced:** -