# **DueTorri**

# Merlot

DueTorri is a collection of native and international varietal wines produced by Cesari, the famed Valpolicella winery. These fruit-forward wines are varietally accurate expressions of Italy's diverse terroir.

#### Varietal(s):

100% Merlot

### Vineyards:

Merlot has been grown in Italy since 1880, but Grave del Friuli in northern Italy's Friuli-Venezia-Giulia region has been the country's capital for the cultivation of the varietal. Fruit is sourced from the finest hillside vineyards with rocky soil leading to lower yields, but of higher quality. Cesari's stable of growers allow the winery to closely monitor their management to their standards.

#### Winemaking:

Vinified entirely in stainless steel to ensure maximum fruit expression and preserve the natural varietal characteristics of the grapes, DueTorri Merlot is released a few short months after the vintage.

## **Tasting Notes:**

Supple aromas of raspberries backed by herbaceous undertones define DueTorri Merlot. Medium in body and dry in style, the finish is pleasant. Best within a few years of the vintage, enjoy with pot roast or roast chicken or turkey.



