

MAZZEI **2015 Zisola Noto Rosso (Nero D'Avola)**

A grand family of wine, enchanted by Sicily, discovered the hamlet of Zisola near Noto, an area of rare beauty.

This Nero d'Avola in purity is made from traditional "Alberello" (bushy) vines grown in the ancient area of Noto.

Appellation

Sicilia Noto Rosso DOC

Winery

Zisola

Vineyards location

Contrada Zisola - Noto (Siracusa)

Grape varieties

Nero d'Avola

Alcohol

14,96% vol.

Total acidity

5,80‰

Vineyards location

130 m.a.s.l.; S/E exposure

Soil

Medium texture, calcareous and mineral

Training system

Head-pruned bush vines

Nr. of vines per hectare

5,550

Harvest

Hand picked from September 4th

Fermentation temperature

26 - 28° C

Period of maceration

14 - 16 days

Aging

10 months in small french oak barrels
(225 lt / 33% new)

Production

100,000 bottles

First vintage

2004

Aging potential

Up to 10 years

Key descriptors

Well built, forest fruits and sunny orange peel flavors, long and layered taste

Food pairing

Spicy fish soups, savoury pasta and rice dishes, grilled red meats and vegetables