

### Aglianico VCR 7 (FPS 02) (Taurasi)

Vigorous, but lower productivity than average. Good general and basal fertility. Versatile in hottest climates. Small clusters, moderately compact. Medium-small berries, dark blue. Tolerant of botrytis and mildew. Wine: ruby red; floral aroma, delicate and persistent; good alcohol and acid, well structured. Adapted for long aging. Comes from Campania, where Mastroberardino has been at the forefront of creating its reputation as Taurasi.

### Aglianico VCR 2 (FPS 03) (Taurasi)

Medium vigor and good productivity. Good general and basal fertility. Rustic. High quality in hottest areas. Medium-small cluster, semi-compact. Medium-small berries, blue-black. Somewhat tolerant of botrytis and good resistance to mildew. Wine: intense violet/red; complex aroma evolving with age; good acid structure adapted to prolonged aging.

### Barbera VCR 15 (FPS 07)

Medium small cluster, lower than average weight. High sugar, deep red color, aroma delicate and fruit flavored scent. It is adaptable for the production of good structure of aging.

### Barbera VCR 19 (FPS 08)

Small cluster, lower than average weight. Ruby red color, spicy, of good body and structure. Consistent productivity. It is adaptable for the production of good structure for aging.

### Cabernet Franc VCR 10 (FPS 09)

Medium vigor and productivity. Good general and basal fertility. Medium cluster, semi-compact with one short wing. Medium berry size, moderately thick skin. Wine: intense ruby red; aromas of woodland fruits, slightly herbaceous; well-structured, smooth; characteristics intermediate between CS and Merlot.

### Carmenere VCR 702 (FPS 09)

Medium-small cluster. Ruby color, good bouquet. Well balanced, properly tannic, of good structure. Good constant productivity.

### Chardonnay SMA 108 (FPS 86)

Vigorous and productive. Smaller than average clusters with one wing. Resistant skin on berries with some tolerance to botrytis. Wine: refined, rich bouquet; adapted to still and sparkling wine.

### Grenache VCR 3 (FPS 04)

Vigorous, medium productivity. High general and basal fertility. Medium size clusters, truncated pyramidal, compact. Large berries. Not susceptible to botrytis and mildew. Wine: light ruby red; fruity with flavor of raspberries; pleasant with decent acidity. By itself, not for prolonged aging. Well adapted for blending with well structured wines, such as in southern Rhone in France. Planted extensively in Sardinia.

### Montepulciano VCR 10 (FPS 02) (Abruzzo)

From east Tuscany, where it makes Montepulciano de Abruzzo. Vigorous and productive. Medium clusters, semi-compact, cylindrical-conical, often winged. Medium berries, black-violet. Adapted warm, dry climates. Wine: intense ruby red; fruity, tannic, good body, velvety; not acidic. Often used in Tuscany to boost the color and body of Sangiovese.

### Moscato Giallo VCR 5 (FPS 01)

Good vigor and productivity. Clusters larger than average with one wing, semi-compact. Large berries, golden yellow. Resistant to botrytis. Wine: yellow with gold highlights; intense and persistent perfume; well-structured and lends itself to blending with Moscato Bianco.

### Pinot Grigio (P. Gris) VCR 5 (FPS 08)

Good vigor with lower productivity than average. Fertile, resistant to chlorosis. Small clusters, cylindrical with one wing, semi-compact. Medium berries. Low sensitivity to botrytis. Wine: straw yellow; refined perfumed aroma; good structure that supports both barrel and bottle aging.

### Pinot Nero (P. Noir) VCR 18 (FPS 68)

Medium vigor and productivity. High general and basal fertility. Small cylindrical clusters with slight wings, compact. Small berries, dark blue. Medium-good resistance to botrytis. Wine: higher than average color intensity; persistent, delicate perfume of wild berries; adapted for still wine with aging potential.

### Pinot Nero (P. Noir) VCR 20 (FPS 92)

Clone of medium vigor and productivity, with lower sensitiveness to botrytis. It is adaptable for the production of still wines that improve during aging.

### Refosco VCR 5 (FPS 03) (Faedis)

Good vigor, but lower than usual. Good general and basal fertility. Adapted to heavy soil. Clusters medium-small, conical with one short wing. Berries medium-small, black-violet, resistant to botrytis and mildew. Wine: light ruby red with aromas and flavors of spice; good structure, high polyphenols for aging 1-2 years. Lends itself to "nouveaux" wines. From Friuli-Venezia-Giulia.

### Sangiovese VCR 6 (FPS 07) (Montalcino)

Grosso. Good vigor and medium productivity. Good general and basal fertility. Medium-small clusters, moderately compact. Medium-small berries, dark blue. Good botrytis resistance. Wine: rich color, perfumed and spicy, with plum and cherry scents; robust, improves with aging. This and the VCR 23 were the preferred stand-alone clones in microvinification tasting.

### Sangiovese VCR 19 (FPS 08) (Romagnolo)

Piccolo. Vigorous, medium productivity. Good basal fertility. Adapted to hilly terrain, heavy soils. Rustic. Medium clusters, semi-compact with one wing. Medium-small berries, thick-skinned. Resistant to botrytis. Wine: good color intensity, floral/spicy aromas. Adapted for moderate aging and blending. Originally from Emilia-Romagna.

### Sangiovese VCR 23 (FPS 10) (Romagnolo)

Piccolo. Good vigor, medium productivity. Medium general and basal fertility. Medium-small clusters, cylindrical, semi-compact. Smaller than average berries blue-black. Good botrytis resistance. Wine: light ruby red; spicy aroma of cinnamon and black pepper; good body and polyphenols. Adapted for long aging and/or blending. Originally from Emilia-Romagna.

### Sangiovese VCR 30 (FPS 09) (Lamole)

Grosso. Medium vigor and production. Good general and basal fertility. Medium cylindrical clusters, semi-compact. Medium berries, dark blue. Resistant to botrytis. Wine: fruity, spicy, good color and structure; adapted for Chianti blends; acquires finesse with aging.

### Sangiovese VCR 102 (FPS 13)

Clone of medium vigor, with constant productivity. It is included in the "prugnolo" bio-type. Medium-small cluster, with medium-small berry. The resulting wine is adaptable for middle and long aging. Deep ruby-red color, fruity aroma, and dry spicy taste with slight bitter finish.