



Decanter

Cascina Vano, Pilone
nei Rivetti Riserva,
Barbaresco, 2016

Blind tasted by **Aldo Fiordelli** (at Alba, 31 Mar 2021)

Part of **Barbaresco Riserva 2016 vintage report plus top-scoring wines**

The 2016 vintage is a blend from different vineyards, without the more recent acquisition of 0.8 hectares of Basarin. The estate has a polished, classic style and this riserva is open-knit with a lot of violet and fresh mint. Fruit flavours range between strawberry and cherry, with chewy tannins and graphite minerality in depth. Savoury, balanced and well-integrated, it still has some ruggedness and lacks a bit of elegance on the palate. Ageworthy.

Drinking Window 2021 - 2036



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Cascina Vano, Canova,
Barbaresco, Piedmont,
Italy, 2018

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This Slavonian oak-aged Barbaresco from Canova in Neive is produced classically with a long 25-day maceration after fermentation. It has a vibrant, light and leafy nose with mintiness over strawberry and cherry fruits. It's supple on the palate, with a dusty texture of Nebbiolo tannins. Still rugged, it is savoury, a bit wild yet persistent - a bit ungainly maybe but multifaceted, showing depth and complexity. For the long haul.

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