

MICHELE SATTA

Congratulations to Michele Satta and his team! Amazing scores from Antonio Galloni that are currently online at www.vinous.com.

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Syrah Toscana IGT 2011

90 points

“The 2011 Syrah is rich, ample and voluptuous in the glass, with tons of textural depth and richness. Dark plum, chocolate, smoke, tobacco, licorice and incense are given an extra level of dimension from the hot vintage and aging in French oak. Although not especially varietal, the 2011 offers notable intensity and volume.”
-A.G.

Piastraia Bolgheri Rosso DOC 2012

93 points

“The highlight among these new releases, the 2012 Bolgheri Rosso Piastraia wraps around the palate with lovely depth and density. Creamy and expansive in style, the 2012 captures the radiance of the year. Dark raspberries, spices, new leather and mocha flesh out on the open-knit, inviting finish. The Piastraia, a Merlot/Syrah/Cabernet Sauvignon/Sangiovese blend, is a prototypical Maremma red built on texture and intensity. There is plenty to like here.” -A.G.

Cavaliere Toscana IGT 2010

91 points

“Satta's 2010 Cavaliere, 100% Sangiovese, is rich, dark and heavy, with plenty of up-front intensity. Sage, licorice, game, tobacco smoke and spice are pushed forward, while the fruit is a bit dried out and forward. I am not sure about the rationale for releasing a Bolgheri Sangiovese at five years of age, as the flavors are already a bit advanced, but on the other hand, readers will find a wine that is ready to drink. The style is rich and ample, which is to say quite typical of the coast.” -A.G.