

EMILIANO FALSINI ETNA ROSSO, FEUDO PIGNATONE



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From the Contrada Feudo Pignatone Region in the Etna Rosso Appellation of Sicily, Italy. The vineyard is at 700m elevation. Volcanic soils. The vines are 30-100 years old. The grapes are harvested by hand. A meticulous selection is carried out in the vineyard and subsequently through the separate vinification of every single parcel. Spontaneous fermentation in small open containers, 30% of whole cluster, skin contact for 12 days with daily punch-downs. Aged 10 months in small new barrels.

Emiliano Falsini is a consulting enologist from Tuscany. He has been working for years with great estates in Tuscany, Sicily & elsewhere, including Girolamo Russo, Alberto Graci, Tabarrini & Antonella Lombardo. Now Emiliano has chosen to start producing wine under his own name, in two appellations he knows particularly well; the north side of Mount Etna in Sicily & Bolgheri on the coast of Tuscany.

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Tasting Note:

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Shelf Talker:

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