## Merloblù Merlot IGT provincia di Pavia

Merlot 100%

The name comes from an architectural facet of the eastern part of Castello di Luzzano. Blue ("blu" in Italian) is, along with yellow, one of the colours typically seen at the castle. The wine is full of the rich fruit aroma that is typical of the variety, and has a soft, silky palate of great length. Its considerable alcohol and body makes it well adapted to long ageing. It is nevertheless released for sale when young, and so that it can also be enjoyed to the full with all the lively aromas and flavours of its youth.

## Umore nero

**Pinot nero dell'Oltrepò pavese D.O.C.**

Pinot Nero 100%

The word "umore" ("humour") has various meanings: it is not just a state of mind but also the juice that seeps from grape berries. The essence of "UMORE NERO" **"black humour"** has been encapsulated in the cartoon-like speech-bubble on its label: the expression of an idea that formed in someone's head. Both the name and the label reflect that this is anything but a classic-style Pinot Nero. Bright ruby in tone, its spirit is as young and irreverent as its name, and intense aromas of roses precede a palate of great elegance.

## Luzzano 270 Rosso Oltrepò Pavese D.O.C. - Riserva

Barbera 80% with small amounts of Bonarda, Uva Rara and Pinot Nero. The vineyards producing the wine are the estate's very best, both as regards their altitude, 270 metres – hence the wine's name – and the nature of the vines, very old and with ancient clones. This reflects our policy of using the Oltrepò Pavese's traditional varieties and giving prominence to the oldest vines. The wine has great structure and elegance, and acquires ever greater refinement over time. It is a deep ruby tinged with purple; there is blackberry jam and spice on the nose, and a light, non-intrusive oakiness; the palate is soft and full, with refined tannins and a very long finish. It ages excellently and makes an ideal accompaniment to braised meats.

## Carlino Bonarda dell'Oltrepò Pavese D.O.C.

Croatina 100%

This wine is named after one of our old grape-growers. It is a bright, deep ruby colour tinged with purple. The nose is intense, penetrating and lively, with aromas of violet and hints of spice. It is still, dry and full, with fairly high alcohol and excellent length, and goes perfectly with pasta in meat-based sauces, red meats and some risottos.

## Vena rossa Gutturnio Classico Superiore D.O.C.

60% Barbera e 40% Bonarda

The name of this wine **"Red Vein"** evokes its deep, bright ruby red colour. It has particularly fruity, lively aromas and a full, savoury, dry palate, with a perfect balance that derives from the power of Barbera, refined and rounded by the perfume and softness of Bonarda. It may be drunk at all stages of a meal but is at its best with soups and red meats.

## Romeo Gutturnio Classico Riserva D.O.C.

60% Barbera e 40% Bonarda

With this wine we pay homage to the old vineyard workers of Luzzano. Up until the end of the 1960s they were assigned a third of the wines for themselves and somehow they always managed to acquire those from the best vines – their great experience saw to that. **Romeo** was one of those we remember most fondly and so this Gutturnio Riserva, which for us represents the estate and its history, is dedicated to him. The label also represents a part of Luzzano: it depicts the wrought iron gate at the entrance to the courtyard. The wine is produced only in the better vintages and is aged in small oak casks. The result is great elegance and perfect balance, with a deep garnet colour; a refined, complex array of aromas; and a smooth, full palate with wonderfully soft tannins. It goes well with all red meats and matured cheeses.

## Sommossa: gocce in tumulto

**Bonarda dell'Oltrepò Pavese D.O.C. sparkling wine**

Croatina 100%

**Rouse "drops revolution"**: this wine takes name from natural effervescence. Of great elegance, it is a bright ruby colour and has intense raspberry aromas and a dry palate. It is perfect with all types of cured meats and makes an ideal accompaniment to all stages of a meal.

## Duestrade

**percorsi scelti per un rosso**

**Gutturnio D.O.C. frizzante**

The name **"Two roads"** comes from an ancient vine of Luzzano. There is great harmony, especially on the nose. The variety Bonarda (40%) bringing refinement and Barbera (60%) giving the necessary body. It is bottled young, with a little natural sparkle, and is excellent with cured meats but can be drunk throughout a meal.

## Ficcanaso *colta in fragrante tra tralci intrecciati*

**Malvasia Colli Piacentini D.O.C. sparkling dry**

Malvasia di Candia aromatica 100% **"Noseyparker"**

The aromas are intensely floral, giving acacia in particular; the palate is smooth, with fresh flavours and a good balance between crispness and the softness brought by its touch of residual sweetness.

## Sfacciata *profilo dolce, corpo provocante, sottoveste bianca e profumata*

**Malvasia I.G.T. Emilia sparkling sweet**

Malvasia di Candia aromatica 90%

Moscato 10%

**"Cheeky"**

This is a white dessert wine with a little natural effervescence. The intensity of its aromas and the elegance of its sweet yet gently crisp palate make it a wine of particular refinement which, assisted by its low alcohol content, is also excellent when drunk on its own.

## Tasto di Seta

**Malvasia Colli Piacentini D.O.C.**

Malvasia di Candia aromatica 100%

Castello di Luzzano has always been one of the leading producers of Malvasia and therefore it seemed natural to add a still Malvasia, one of great finesse and elegance.

The wine's characteristics led to it being given the name **"Touch of Silk"**. Its intense aromas, richness and softness do indeed make it wonderfully silky. Ideal with fish.

## Romito anno 1°

**Chardonnay Colli Piacentini D.O.C. sparkling**

Chardonnay 100%

Dedicated to our Romito estate. With a bright, straw yellow colour and a touch of natural effervescence, it is delicate yet full of aroma, with citrus notes which also come through on the zesty, balanced palate.

It makes a delicious aperitif and is ideal with fish.

## Magót - magia di pinot

**Oltrepò Pavese Pinot Nero D.O.C. Sparkling**

Pinot Nero 100% white vinification

The name means **MAG**ic-Pin**OT**, because with magic wine-making, the red grapes, gently pressed are transformed into white refined juice.

A very intense fragrance of cypress and grapefruit.

Excellent as an aperitif and for all meal.

Three different coloured labels to play with the unchanging wine.