

GAJA



COSTA RUSSI

1999

The eleven-acre Costa Russi vineyard was acquired by the Gaja family in 1950 and today produces one of Gaja's single-vineyard Langhe Nebbiolo D.O.C. wines. A costa is the side of a hill that faces the sun; russi is the name of the former owners of this vineyard.

COLOUR

Dark ruby/purple

AROMA

A captivating and refined nose with well-integrated aromas of blackberries, violets and roasted coffee beans.

TASTE

Elegance and crystal purity characterize this extremely complex and densely woven wine with an aging potential of decades.

Item:

Nebbiolo

Grape Variety/Varieties

95% Nebbiolo, 5% Barbera

Alcohol Level:

13.5%

Length/Type of Fermentation:

With the skins in stainless steel tanks at controlled temperatures of 82°F for one week and 64°F for two weeks.

Length/Type of Aging:

12 months barrique aging; 12 months of aging in large oak casks.