



LANZA

2021
BARBERA
SUISUN VALLEY AVA

OUR PROCESS

To honor our Italian heritage, we planted Barbara in 2012. Known for its adaptability to a wide range of vineyard soils, Barbera thrives in our rich Suisun Valley terroir.

Barbera is believed to have originated from the Piedmont region of Northern Italy, which is where the Lanza family comes from. This red Italian wine grape produces good yields and is known for its deep color, full-body, low tannins, and high acid levels. This Italian-style wine should be enjoyed relatively young. Its juicy, rich, full-bodied profile and soft tannins make it incredibly smooth and approachable.



TASTING NOTES

This approachable and juicy wine starts with blackberry, vanilla, and cherry aromas. It is rich yet light-bodied and has fruity flavors of sour cherry, black currant, cranberry, and dried strawberry on the palate. The light tannins and high acidity of this wine are responsible for its 'juicy' taste. Primarily grown in Northwest Italy in a region known as Piedmont-which coincidentally happens to be the same region as the Lanza family's origins-California Barbera tends to be more full-bodied and fruit-forward than its Old-World, Italian counterpart.

The bright acidity in our 2021 Barbera will complement rich, fatty foods like dark meat, mushrooms, and herbaceous cheese.

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Lanza Italian Collection

VARIETAL BLEND

91.864% Barbera
8.136% Petite Sirah

TECHNICAL DATA

Alcohol: 14.4%
pH: 3.45 **TA:** .58g/100mL
RS: 0.03 g/100mL
Cooperage: 14 mos Amer Oak
Bottling Date: 2/1/2023
Cases Produced: 476
Release Date: 6/21/2023