



## SALCHETO

Toscana, Italy

[www.salcheto.it](http://www.salcheto.it)



Salcheto is named after the Salcheto stream that runs through this hilly, 72 hectare property. Located in the heart of Montepulciano, Salcheto is dedicated to Sangiovese in the clonal guise of Prugnolo Gentile: the soul of Vino Nobile. Prugnolo Gentile differs from other Sangiovese clones in Tuscany offering softer, more plum-like flavours than the usual black cherry. If we are allowed a sweeping generalisation, Prugnolo Gentile provides a mid-ground between the robustness of Brunello and the elegance of Chianti.

Under the management of Michele Manelli, Salcheto has become the epitome of environmental efficiency. It is the first estate in the whole of Italy to be fully self-sustainable and their energy independent cellars are a model of innovation and efficiency. Even the bottles they use are the lightest and most economically friendly bottles available!

All Salcheto's wines are made with a low quantity of sulphites and fermented using indigenous yeasts. The Vino Nobile's are made from 100% Prugnolo Gentile, while their Chianti contains Sangiovese, Canaiolo, Mammolo, and Merlot. And more recently they have released a range of natural wines under the label 'Obvius', without the use of sulphites. Salcheto's range all share accuracy, a great deal of finesse, and phenomenal drinkability.

*(Vino Nobile di Montepulciano 2022)*  
"Focused and nicely structured, with aromas of red plums, forest floor, crushed violets and tobacco that carry into a medium- to full-bodied palate. The tannins are firm but integrated, holding a vivid line of acidity that gives the finish clarity and tension. From organically grown grapes. Sustainable. Drink or hold."  
**92 points, James Suckling (September 2025)**

*(Chianti Biskero 2024)* "This offers dried cherries, raspberries, dried herbs, licorice and a hint of orange peel. Medium-bodied, juicy and textured, with a core of vivid fruit and fine, dusty tannins. Polished and easy to drink. From organically grown grapes. Sustainable. Drink now."  
**90 points, James Suckling (September 2025)**

Code	Label name	Vintage	Alcohol	Closure type	Case size
<b>White Wine</b>					
SA9024	Obvius Bianco - Organic	2024	13.5%	Screw Cap	6x0.75lt
<b>Red Wine</b>					
SA0124	Chianti 'Biskero' - Organic	2024	13.5%	Cork	6x0.75lt
SA0322	Vino Nobile di Montepulciano - Half Bottle - Organic	2022	14.0%	Cork	12x0.375lt
SA0522	Vino Nobile di Montepulciano - Organic	2022	14.0%	Cork	6x0.75lt
SA2123	Chianti 'Biskero' - Magnum - Organic	2023	13.5%	Cork	6x1.5lt
SA1018	Vino Nobile di Montepulciano 'Salco' - Organic	2018	14.0%	Cork	6x0.75lt
SA0620	Vino Nobile di Montepulciano - Magnum - Organic	2020	14.0%	Cork	6x1.5lt