



Bianchi Particular Cabernet Sauvignon

2018

- 92 – JAMES SUCKLING, *April 2, 2020*

“This is a big, rich cabernet with lots of currants and chewy, velvety tannins that are long and intense. A mouthful, but ever so polished and pretty. Drink after 2021.”

2017

- 90 – VINOUS, *October 21, 2020*

“Up until this year, the style of Particular was dominated by the wood, but that is beginning to change. The entirety of this wine was aged for 12 months in 70% new oak. Intense color, with a nose of black currant and hints of pyrazine and mint, along with clear, slightly smoky wood notes that provide structure. The medium body is supported by active tannings and tangible grip, softened by the low freshness.”

2013

- 91 – ‘Cellar Selection’ - WINE ENTHUSIAST, *February 2018*

“Oak notes are prominent on the nose, with aromas of shoe polish and ash. This is a big Cabernet Sauvignon that still need time to settle. Its dark, oaky flavors are bolstered by a core of berry fruit. A loud finish suggests this is best for those who favor bold New World reds.”

2012

- 90 – WINE ENTHUSIAST, *October 2016*

“Hard-edged, aromas of cheesy oak, leather, wiry berry fruits and graphite are a bit hot when totaled up. Tight, fresh and juicy on the palate, this tastes of currant, plum and vanilla. A finish with heavy but integrated oak as well as residual heat and burn says drink through 2022.”

2011

- 89 – VINOUS, *Feb. 2015*

“Full medium-deep ruby. Complex, inviting nose melds black cherry, cassis, smoked meat, espresso and roasted herbs, along with some exotic oak spices. Supple and velvety but not at all weighty, with redcurrant, plum and cherry flavors complicated by torrefaction notes of coffee and mocha. Soft, building tannins give the wine a solid underpinning without getting in the way of its early appeal.”

2009

- 90 – WINE ADVOCATE #212, *April 2014*

“The 2009 Particular Cabernet Sauvignon seems like a serious ripe Cabernet Sauvignon here with notes of black pepper, blackberries, cigar box and a hint of smoke, with polished tannins, balanced acidity and a correct finish.”