



PRODUCER PROFILE

Winery Owner(s):

The Tasca Family

Winemaker:

Stefano Masciarelli

Winery Founded:

2007

Region:

Sicily



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Tenuta Tascante Contrada Sciaranuova Vigna Vecchia Etna DOC - 2016

Robert Parker
WINE ADVOCATE

This wine is made from Tascante's oldest vines, planted in 1961. The 2016 Etna Rosso Contrada Sciaranuova V.V. (the initials stand for Vigna Vecchia or "old vines") is a beautifully polished and glossy expression with a fine and smooth aromatic presentation. It starts off with primary notes of forest berry and cassis and spans all the way over to campfire ash and camphor. That range is as beautiful as it is impressive. The mouthfeel is silky and soft with fine, powdery tannins. Put this delicate wine aside for a few more years. Some 5,000 bottles were produced.

- *Monica Lerner*