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## Bibi Graetz, Testamatta, Tuscany, Italy, 2018



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Tasted by **Jane Anson** (at Bordeaux, 27 Aug 2020)  
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Finely textured, with a nuanced perfume that fills the glass and takes you to the intense underbrush of Tuscany. Succulent and yet savoury, this has a lilting freshness that is overlaid with ripe berry fruits, sage and white pepper spice, and clear minerality in terms of its scraping texture that makes your mouth water on the finish. Feels light and sculpted and yet has an intensity that skewers you to the spot. This is a great wine, with scope and imagination that doesn't want to let you go. Genuinely stands out among the wines of this tasting, and these are a fine array of wines. As with Colore, Bibi Graetz selects only old vines, the youngest 50 years old from five different vineyard sites across Tuscany, all farmed organically. Fermentations in open 225l barrels with natural yeasts and manual punch downs.

Drinking Window 2024 - 2045

Producer	Bibi Graetz	Vintage	2018	100% Sangiovese
Type	Still	Colour	Red	
Country	Italy	Region	<b>Tuscany</b>	
Appellation	Toscana	Sweetness	Dry	
Closure	Natural Cork	Body	Full	
Oak	Oaked			