

Pompei truffle-growing company is located in the Marche region, a few kilometres from the town of Ascoli Piceno, in one of the



most suitable areas for truffle growing in Italy. Here one of the production and research centres for the Premier Black Truffle (*Tuber melanosporum* Vitt.) was set up.

This might seem odd to some as everybody has heard of the black truffle of Acqualagna and Norcia, and the white truffle of Alba, but trading areas should not be mistaken for production areas.

Thanks to his long-standing expertise and Doctor of Forestry, Emiliano Pompei has turned his connection to the land into his clever search for growing-oriented agronomy settings, while constantly respecting the local traditions and business features of the Marche region.

