

Vinho Regional Alentejano

2021

MONTE DO CARRAPATELO

RED WINE

VITICULTURE

VINTAGE	2021
SOILS	Soils of granitic origin with some patches of soils derived from schist and quartz.
REGION	Vinho Regional Alentejano (Reguengos de Monsaraz).
VINEYARD AREA	7 hectares.
GROWTH	Unilateral Cordon.
GRAPE VARIETIES	46 % Alicante Bouschet, 37 % Touriga Nacional and 17 % Aragonez.

WINEMAKING

PROCESS	The grapes were picked and taken to the winery in 15 kg boxes. Fermentation took place in temperature controlled, stainless steel vats, with prolonged skin contact.
AGING AND BOTTLING	The wine aged for 6 months in used 300-litre french oak barrels. Bottling: 13rd of April, 2023
ANALYSIS	Alcohol: 14% Total acidity: 5.8 g/l pH: 3.48 Volatile acidity: 0.66 g/l Total sugar (Glucose + Fructose): 0.9 g/l
TASTING NOTES	Appearance: deep ruby colour. Nose: aromas of ripe fruits with toasty and spice notes. Palate: rich in ripe fruit flavours, the palate is round and balanced, with good acidity and firm tannins. The finish is medium to long in length and notably elegant.
SERVING TEMPERATURE	10°C - 13°C
SERVING SUGGESTIONS	It is ideal to accompany Mediterranean food, as well as poultry and light pasta dishes.
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