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QUINTA DO
VALLADO



2017
VALLADO DOURO
TINTO RESERVA (RED)

WINE DATA

Producer

Quinta do Vallado

Region

Douro (DOC)

Country

Portugal

Wine Composition

Old vines, more than 100 years old; 45 grape varieties with a predominance of Tinta Roriz, Tinta Amarela, Touriga France and Tinta Barroca.

Alcohol

14%

Total Acidity

5.0 G/L

Residual Sugar

< 0.6 G/L

pH

3.73

DESCRIPTION

Concentrated aromas, with notes of balsamic oak, fig and black plum, and hints of tobacco. The palate shows a full-bodied firmness with mature, silky tannins. Mineral notes mix with the fruit, leading to a very elegant, complex and persistent finish.

WINEMAKER NOTES

Part of the grapes underwent the traditional process of foot-treading in granite "lagares" and the remainder was vinified in 5-ton stainless steel vats, at controlled temperatures with periodic remontage. After malolactic fermentation, all the wines were racked into French Oak barriques (50% new, 50% used), where they stayed for 18 months of aging.

SERVING HINTS

Serve at room temperature, with various meats and game.