

## HERDADE DO ROCIM RED WINE | TOURIGA NACIONAL 2018

REGION: VIDIGUEIRA | ALENTEJO
PRODUCER: HERDADE DO ROCIM

VITICULTURE: CATARINA VIEIRA | AMÂNDIO CRUZ WINEMAKING: CATARINA VIEIRA | PEDRO RIBEIRO

CLIMATE > Typically mediterranean, in the winegrowing sub-region of Vidigueira, where the climatic conditions are the most temperate of Alentejo and provide an excellent microclimate for the production of quality wines.

SOIL > Poor land, predominantly of granite. Great pedological potential for the cultivation of vines and to produce excellent wines.

**VARIETIES** > Touriga Nacional

The Touriga Nacional variety is planted in a plot exposed to the east, following a multi-spaced trellised system, LYS. The rows have an east/west orientation.

## ANALYTIC PARAMETERS

Alcohol Content > 14,0% Total Acidity > 5,700 g/dm3 Volatile Acidity > 0,56 g/dm3 Residual Sugars > 3,3 g/dm3 pH > 3.57

VINIFICATION > Manual harvest into 12 kg boxes. At the winery, the grapes were once again sensible triaged on a vibrating sorting table, fully destemmed and lightly crushed. After a 48 hour period of pre-fermentative cold maceration, the fermentation has occurred in french oak barrels.

AGING > Aging took place in french oak barrels, for 11 months. Bottle aging for three months.

TASTING NOTES > Deep ruby and violet colour. Fresh and mineral. Floral notes typical from the grape variety and spicy notes from the barrel aging. Soft and silky tannins. A structure that allows a good bottle aging.