

ALIANÇA  
WINES OF PORTUGAL

# Quinta da Garrida

## Red 2016



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DENOMINATION: DOC Dão  
GRAPE VARIETIES: Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz e Jaen  
AGEING: 12 months in French and Russian oak barrels  
WINEMAKER: Francisco Antunes  
SOIL TYPE: Granite  
FIRST HARVEST: 1999



## HISTORY:

Quinta da Garrida was bought by Aliança Vinhos de Portugal in 1998. Located in the foothills of the Serra da Estrela in the Dão Region, Quinta da Garrida excels in the diversity of wines it produces. Because the vineyards are divided in separate plots, Quinta da Garrida wines are vinified separately, preserving the authenticity and character of each vineyard. The granitic soils create mineral wines of great freshness.

## PROFILE:

In 2013 the temperature and rainfall levels were well balanced, allowing healthy and well matured grapes. The vineyards of Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz and Jaen (Mencia) used for the production of Quinta da Garrida Red 2013 presented the perfect ripeness allowing to produce a wine with great color, great aromatic complexity and a balanced acidity. The grapes of Quinta da Garrida are harvest by machine and are subjected to a pre-fermentation cold maceration (8 ° C) for 5 days with alcoholic fermentation after 10 to 12 days (30 ° C). The final maceration takes four days. 100% of the wine is lactic Malo fermented.

## ANALYSES:

PH: 3,43

Residual Sugar (g/l): 2,8

Total Acidity (g/l AT): 5,2

Total SO2 (mg/l): 80

Serving temperature: 16-18 °C

## TASTING NOTES:

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## GASTRONOMY:

Ideal to go accompany traditional dishes from Dão region.

## PRIZES:

Harvest 2012:

Mundus Vini – Gold Medal (2015)