## **QUINTA DE VALLE LONGO RESERVA**



**RED 2008** 

DOC ( Denominação de Origem Controlada) DOURO - Demarcated Douro Region | PORTUGAL

## **Grape Varieties**

Touriga Nacional (60%), Tinta Roriz (20%) and Touriga Franca (20%), originating from Quinta de VALLE LONGO

## Wine Making

Hand picking of the grapes to small baskets. Total destemming of the grapes. Wine fermentation with moderate temperature control in stainless steel vats. Manual "Daily remontage". Matured in new French oak casks for 12 months. It is unfiltered and was not cold stabilized in order to preserve all of its natural qualities; it will therefore, with time, throw a natural deposit in the bottle.

## **Sensorial Analysis**

Visual:	Clean.
Colour	Deep red colour, with good intensity

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Very intense and complex showing elegant notes to red and black matured fruits. Floral hints. The Aroma: maturation in new oak casks provided suit aromas, toast, smoked and to spices.

Taste: Velvety attack. Good structure, tannins well-integrated by the fruit. Very long Finish.

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Suggestions					
Consumption:	Red meat, particularly game and strong cheeses.				
	To be served at a temperature between 16° to 17° C.				
Preservation:	At a constant temperature, and away from direct intense light.				
Technical Details					
Alcohol:	14 % vol.				
Total Acidity:	4,07 g/l a.t.				
pH:	3,92 g/l				
Reducing Sugar:	2 g/l				
Total Sulphur Dioxide	e ( INS 220): 136 mg/l				
Logistic Information					
Bottle:	Bordalesa Prestige 750 ml				
Cork:	Natural cork				
Packaging:	Wooden cellar case for 6 bottles				
Palletization:	80 wodden cases for 6 bottles				
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Wine Maker					

Rui Cunha / José Araújo / César Pinacho



