

## **DONA MARIA GRANDE RESERVA**

Region Alentejo

Soil Clay / Limestone

Elevation 430 Meters Alcohol 14%

Vineyard Dom Martinho

Grape Varieties

50% Alicante Bouschet

20% Syrah 20% Petit Verdot 10% Touriga Nacional

**Vinification** This wine, vinified with selected grapes from old vines, was fermented in ancient marble lagares (open air tanks), using the traditional foot-treading method. Slowly mature in new

French oak barrels for one year.

Aging One year in Hermitage new French

oak barrels

Tasting Notes

Dark ruby color, with aromas of wild fruit, spices and mint. The palate is intense and well-rounded, showing silky tannins and a persistent finish.

Reviews

2017 Vintage

Wine Advocate: 94+ Points

2016 Vintage

Wine Enthusiast: 93 Points Wine Advocate: 94 Points

2015 Vintage

Wine Advocate: 95 Points

Wine Enthusiast: Editors' Choice

2014 Vintage

Wine Enthusiast: 93 Points

2013 Vintage

Wine Advoacate: 93 Points

2012 Vintage

Wine Advocate: 93 Points

2011 Vintage

Wine Advocate: 92 Points Wine Enthusiast: 92 Points Wine Enthusiast: 93 Points

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