

2005

CRASTO RED WINE

**APPELLATION**

Douro

VINEYARDS

Terraces and rows of vines planted up and down the slope

SOIL

Schist

ASPECT

East / South

AGE OF VINES

+20 years old

ALCOHOL, ABV

13,92%

BOTTLING

July of 2004

ANALYSIS

T. Acidity: 4,820 g/dm³

pH: 3,71

Res.Sugar: 2,20 g/dm³

GRAPE VARIETIES

50% Tinta Roriz, 20% Tinta Barroca, 15% Touriga Franca and 15 % Touriga Nacional.

VINIFICATION

Grapes are hand picked in small plastic craters. Pumping over with hand plunging in temperature controlled fermentation tanks. Each variety is vinified separately. Wine was bottled in July 2004 with only a slight filtration.

AGEING

wine not aged in wood.

TASTING

Douro Red is a young fruit driven wine. Without contact with oak this wine is accessible at an early age combining the character of great fruit with the fresh young palate. This is the perfect everyday drinking wine.

WINEMAKERS

Dominic Morris and Susana Esteban.

