



CORTES DE CIMA

FAMILY VINEYARDS ALENTEJO, PORTUGAL

Cortes de Cima Trincadeira 2010

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Vinho Regional Alentejano

Varietal:	100% Trincadeira
Total Acids:	5.7
Final pH:	3.72
Residual Sugars:	4.2
Alcohol:	14 %
Barrel Ageing:	8 months French Oak barrels

Grown, produced and bottled at the family estate.
Bottled unfiltered and filtered in July 2011
Total production: 4.000 bottles



Harvest 2010

Vintage 2010 experienced new record-breaking climatic extremes, both in winter rainfall and summer heat. A difficult growing season and harvest due to delayed ripening. Fine harvest weather.

Vinification

Made exclusively from selected Trincadeira grapes hand picked at optimum maturity from chosen sites in our own vineyards. Fermented without stems under temperature control, frequent delestage, to enhance varietal fruit characters, and to provide tannin structure and balance. Aged for 8 months in French oak barrels.

Our Winemaker's Comments

Spicy, plummy fruit aromas with a soft, round palate.

Track Record

2009 Vintage – Bronze Medal – Intl Wine & Spirit Competition – UK 2012
2004 Vintage - Trophy Prestige - Citadelles du Vin - Bordeaux 2006
2004 Vintage - Silver Medal - Mundus Vini - Germany 2007
2003 Vintage - Silver Medal (BEST IN CLASS) - Intl Wine & Spirit Competition;
2003 Vintage - Silver Medal - Concours Mondial du Vin;
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