



ALENTEJO - PORTUGAL
CORTES DE CIMA
FAMILY VINEYARDS

Chaminé 2015

Cortes de Cima
Vinho Regional Alentejano

Varieties: 45% Aragonez (Tempranillo), 30% Syrah, 12% Touriga Nacional,
7% Trincadeira, 6% Alicante Bouschet
Total Acids: 5.40
Final pH: 3.68
Total Sugar: 0.7
Alcohol: 13,5%

Bottled on the family estate in April 2016
No barrel ageing

Awards

🏆 **Gold Medal** – Concours Mondial de Bruxelles 2017
🏆 **Commended** – International Wine Challenge 2018



Ratings

87 – Robert Parker
87 - Wine Spectator

Reviews

"A fine Chaminé perhaps the best one I've seen.. a very nice buy...a terrific "summer red." - Mark Squires, 232, *The Wine Advocate*, 31st Aug 2017

"Fresh, with a zesty undertone to the wild strawberry, dark cherry and underbrush flavors, this medium-bodied red sports hints of white pepper and mineral through the lightly tannic finish." - Mar 31, 2018 - Gillian Sciaretta - *Wine Spectator*

Harvest 2015

Characterized by very favorable growing season conditions and led to one of the best vintages in recent years. Cold and dry winter, warm and dry summer, free of heat waves, dry September.

Vinification

Well ripened fruit. Fermented without stems under controlled temperature, with frequent delestage. Stored in stainless steel tanks before early bottling, unfined and filtered.

Our Winemaker's comments

Attractive mix of red and dark berry fruit aromas with some minty notes. Solid, well focused palate with a nice fresh acidity on the finish.



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Track Record

2014 Vintage - Silver Medal – Concours Mondial Bruxelles 2016
2014 Vintage - Silver Medal – Intl Wine & Spirit Competition 2016
2013 Vintage - Gold Medal – Concours Mondial Bruxelles 2015
2012 Vintage - Silver Medal – International Wine Challenge 2014
2011 Vintage - Commended – International Wine Challenge – London 2013;
2010 Vintage - Bronze Medal - International Wine Challenge - London 2011;
2010 Vintage - Gran Menzione - Vinitaly - Itália 2011;
2009 Vintage - Bronze Medal – International Wine Challenge - London 2010;
2008 Vintage - Commended - International Wine Challenge - London 2010;
2007 Vintage - Bronze Medal - S.F. Intl Wine Competition - California 2008;
2007 Vintage - Bronze Medal - Intl Wine & Spirit Competition - UK 2008;
2007 Vintage - Commended - International Wine Challenge - London 2008;
2006 Vintage - Silver Medal (BEST IN CLASS) - Intl Wine & Spirit Competition - UK 2007;
2006 Vintage - Silver Medal - S.F. Intl Wine Competition - California 2007;
2006 Vintage - Silver Medal - Mundus Vini - Germany 2007;
2006 Vintage - Commended - International Wine Challenge - London 2007;
2004 Vintage - Bronze Medal - Intl Wine & Spirit Competition;
2004 Vintage - Seal of Approval - International Wine Challenge;
2003 Vintage - Grand Gold - S.F. Intl Wine Competition;
2003 Vintage - Gold Medal - Concours Mondial du Vin;
2002 Vintage - Bronze Medal - Japan Wine Challenge;
2002 Vintage - Bronze Medal - International Wine Challenge;
2002 Vintage - Bronze Medal - Challenge Intl. du Vin;
2002 Vintage - Bronze Medal - International Wine Challenge, Russia;
2001 Vintage - Bronze Medal - International Wine Challenge;
2001 Vintage - Commended - Intl.Wine & Spirits Competition;
2001 Vintage - Bronze Medal - International Wine Challenge;
2000 Vintage - Seal - International Wine Challenge;
1998 Vintage - Bronze Medal - International Wine Challenge;
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