

# Vinya

Red

## HISTORY

Vinya Red is produced from the Castelão and Aragonês grape varieties. With vibrant fruity aromas making it ideal to share with family and friends in joyful and relaxed moments.

José Maria da Fonseca is the oldest and one of the most prestigious wineries in Portugal, producing wines and Setúbal Moscatel. The Soares Franco family owns José Maria da Fonseca and has been involved in the wine business for almost 200 years. With over 650 hectares of land under vine in our main wine regions: Península de Setúbal, Alentejo and Douro, José Maria Fonseca also boasts Portugal's largest winery, with capacity to produce 6.5 million litres of wine in a totally computerised operation.

## WINEMAKERS TEAM

Under the guidance of Domingos Soares Franco - the first Portuguese winemaker to graduate from the recognized University of Davis in California - a team of hand-picked winemakers responsible for undertaking a wide range of research, studies, experiments and innovation that make José Maria da Fonseca a pioneer in much of what is done in terms of winemaking in Portugal and in the world. This is a job that starts in the vineyard, covers the entire production process and ends in the bottled wine made available to the consumer.



## VINTAGE INFORMATION

**Classification:** Vinho Regional Península de Setúbal

**Grape Varieties:** Castelão (75%) and Aragonês (25%)

**Region:** Península de Setúbal

**Type of Soil:** Sandy

**Wine Production:** 150.000 Litres

### Tasting Notes:

Colour: Dark red

Aroma: Red berries, minty, spicy

Palate: Soft and balanced, with present and well integrated tannins. Good balance between fruit / acidity

Finish: Medium

**Vinification:** Skin contact at 28°C.

**Date of Bottling:** October 2014.

### Analyses:

Alcohol – 13%

Total Acidity – 5,0 g/l tartaric acid

pH – 3,53

**Shelf Life:** Drink while young.

**Serving suggestions** Serve at a temperature of 12°C and consume a 14°C with red or white meat.

**Storage:** The bottles should be laid down at a temperature of 12°C and 60% humidity.

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