

HERDADE DO ROCIM

PROFILE

Located in the Lower Alentejo region in the southern half of Portugal, between Vidigueira and Cuba, lies the estate of Herdade do Rocim. Catarina Vieira has been in charge of the development of the estate and she believes that Alentejo has the unique conditions required to produce world-class wines. Joining her as General Manager of the estate is Pedro Ribiero. He contributes to the winemaking decisions, as well as running the sales and business affairs of the estate. Since purchasing the estate, Caterina and Pedro have invested greatly in the land by completely regenerating the vineyards and building a new state of the art winery. They believe that Rocim has great potential for producing high quality wines with worldwide recognition and have created a project that gives value not only to Alentejo, but to Portugal as a whole.



SPECIFICATIONS

Wine: Alvarinho

Varietals: Alvarinho

Appellation: Vinho Regional Alentejano

Location: Vidigueira, Alentejo

Exposure: East

Soil: Granite and schist soil

Training: Trellised in the vertical shoot position

Harvest: Manual

Agricultural Method: Organic, not certified

Production: 4000 bottles

Vinification: After a period of cold maceration, natural yeast fermentation took place into inox vats at 13C for 20 days. Aging for three months in bottle. No fining or filtration.

Alcohol: 12.5%

Residual Sugar: 0.6 g/l

Acidity: 5.8 g/l

Tasting Notes: Green golden color. Tropical notes. Good volume and balanced acidity.