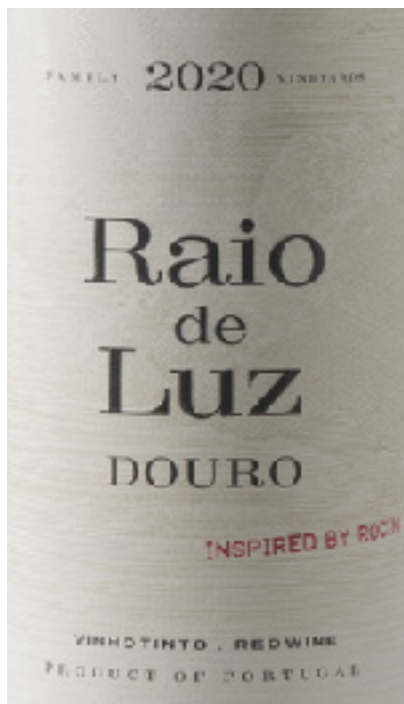


HERDADE DO ROCIM

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, Catarina 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.

While the estate is located in the Alentejo region of the country, the Raio de Luz label pays homage to Pedro's roots as he was raised in the Douro.



SPECIFICATIONS

Wine: Raio de Luz

Varietals: A field blend consisting of Touriga Franca and Tinta Roriz

Appellation: Duoro

Location: The wine comes from 3 old organic farmed vineyards from the 3 sub-regions of Douro. Baixo corgo (freshness), Cima corgo (complexity), Douro superior (richness).

Soil: Schist

Harvest: Manual

Agricultural Method: Organic, not certified

Vinification: Fermented in granite lagar and aged 16 months in French Oak vats.

Tasting Note: Ruby color. Deep, fresh, complex and intense nose. Polished tannins but well present and generous fruit.

Alcohol: 15.00%

Residual Sugar: 0.9 g/l

Acidity: 6.0 g/l