Grand Arte Pinot Noir 2022



Region

The Vinho Regional Lisboa (previously known as Estremadura) extends north and west of Lisbon, following the rugged Atlantic coastline. It is Portugal`s third largest wine producing region in volume terms, but arguably the source of the country`s best value table wines. Most of the region enjoys a maritime climate that allows production of fresh whites and balanced red wines. The last ten years have seen a surge of ambitious small growers making far more interesting wines across a wide selection of grape varietals.

Producer

DFJ Vinhos is one of Portugal`s most innovative and highly awarded wine producers, winning best Portuguese producer in both the New York International Competition and Berliner Wine competition in 2018. They control estates in the Lisboa, Douro, Setubal, Alentejo and Tejo wine regions and work with 22 different grape varieties. The company is headed by Portugal's top winemaker, José Neiva, who has now been leading the way for over 40 years and, at the recent `Portuguese Wine Oscars`, he was made `Senhor do Vinho` - the highest accolade for an outstanding career.

Tasting Notes

Ruby colour, perfumed soft fruit aromas with intriguing notes of chocolate and green tea. On the palate it has excellent ripeness but also a lively freshness, fruity with rich strawberry and cedar flavours. Gentle extraction in the wine-making process has created soft, velvety tannins and bright fruit flavours. It has spent 3 months in small French oak barrels for that added complexity. A delicious wine that is well-structured with a long, smooth finish.

Food

Serve with roast game, stews, cheese and Portugese salt cod.

Technical Information

Country	Portugal
Region	Lisboa
Grape(s)	Pinot Noir (100%)
Type	Red
Style	Juicy
Oaked Style	Lightly oaked
Body Style	Full bodied
Sustainable	Yes-certified sustainable

Dry/Sweet Style	Not applicable	
Alcohol Content	13%	
Closure Style	Cork	
Organic/Biodynamic	No	
Allergens	**Milk:**	No
	Egg:	No
Vegetarian/Vegan	**Vegetarian:**	Yes
	Vegan:	Yes

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