

# QUINTA NOVA

## Mirabilis Grande Reserva Red

*Douro*

### Technical information

**Country:** Portugal  
**Region:** Douro  
**Appellation:** Douro  
**Grape Variety :** Touriga Franca, Tinto Cão, Tinta Amarela, Vinhas Velhas and barrels selection field blend  
**Terroir :** Schyst  
**Age of the vines :** old vines



### Vinification

Total de-stemming and cold maceration; fermentation in barrels for 9 days with temperature control (24-26oC) and 7 days more in long maceration. It ages mainly in French new oak for 18 months. Two “soustrages” (Feb and Oct 2012) and 6 months in cave.

### Tasting notes

Deep ruby red color. Complex and intense aroma, with notes of black fruits and spices - white peper and nutmeg. Elegant in mouth, brilliant, silky texture, very concentrated and sophisticated, nice balance between texture, acidity and struture; Long final, intense and strong precision.

#### **Aging potential:**

Drinkable for 12 years.

#### **Wine pairing:**

Pairs beautifully with lamb and meat.