



Herdade da
Malhadinha Nova
Alentejo • Portugal

menino
Antonio

Technical Specifications

Country
Portugal

Region
Alentejo/Albernôa

Classification
Alentejo Regional Wine

Type
Red

Vintage
2012

Grape Variety
Alicante Bouschet 100%

Vine Area
27 hectares

Soil Type
Free-draining schist soil

Vinification
Grapes were hand picked into 12 Kg boxes and selected at the sorting table. Fermentation occurred in stainless steel lagares with temperature control and traditional maceration. Aged for 18 months in new French oak barrels.

Taste
Menino António 2012 shows great aromatic complexity with notes of red and black fruits, spices, graphite and liquorice, the oak is present but integrated. A balsamic hint gives freshness to the bouquet. On the palate the attack is supple but starts to grow due its tannical structure, good acidity and long finish. Needs time to reveal all it has to offer.

Bottled
March 2014

Production
3310 Bottles
102 Magnums

Analysis:
Alcohol : 14,5%
Total Acidity: 6.1 g/l tartaric acid
pH: 3.54

