



Tyto alba Touriga Nacional DOC Do Tejo 2015

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Score: 16.5

Drink: 2019 – 2023

Sandy soils. Fermented in lagares and aged 12 months in French and American oak (30% new).

Dark cherry red. Spicy black and dark-red fruit with a hint of violets – deeply aromatic and richer than the Tyto Alba Merlot 2015 tasted alongside. Scented on the palate too with lovely rich but fresh fruit. The oak is evident but not dominant in its spicy flavour and slightly thicker tannin texture. Fresh, slightly chewy tannic finish suggesting this has a way to go and definitely needs food if you open it now. Lovely fruit. (JH)