



Tyto alba Red 2012, Regional Tejo

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Score: 16.5

Drink: 2015-2018

Touriga Nacional, Alicante Bouschet, Touriga Franca. Spontaneous fermentation. Aged 12 months in French and US oak.

Deep dark cherry red. Fresh spicy blackberry fruit, dark cherry and a hint of orange. Very inviting, darkly aromatic nose. More savoury on the palate but still lots of really dark fruit, blackberry and cherry again. Just a touch of oak spice and sweetness but well in check. Moreish, very drinkable and still with a fine tannic texture - suggesting it would be better with food but still fine on its own. It will probably age longer but the fruit is lovely now.