



## 2017 Andreza Altitude DOC Douro

Review by Mark Squires

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Rating: 88

Drink: 2021 - 2028

Cost: \$27 - 29

The 2017 Tinto Andreza Altitude is a 60/40 blend of Touriga Nacional and Touriga Franca aged for 12 months in 30% new French oak. It comes in at 13.9% alcohol. Fresh and elegant in the mid-palate, this has a modest burst of flavor to go with a bright feel. The tannins are very ripe, making it easy to drink this right now. It seems to be in a very good place. This is a perfect food wine, easy to like and hard to resist. If there's a limitation, this seems at or close to peak right now, granting that there is no track record. I doubt that holding it very long will bring any rewards. In the meanwhile, this graceful Tinto will be a crowd pleaser. There were 333 six-packs produced.