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TAYLOR'S QUINTA DE TERRA FEITA



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PORT

DETAILS OF PRODUCTION

Quinta de Terra Feita is located on the west bank of the River Pinhão, the narrow tributary which winds north to south through a sinuous steep-sided valley before flowing into the Douro at the village of Pinhão. In the heart of the original 1756 demarcation, it has been recognised as a source of the very finest Ports since the origins of the Port trade and its steep terraced hillsides are ringed with well-known properties. Like those of Vargellas, the wines of the beautiful old property of Terra Feita are an essential component of the Taylor Vintage Port blend. Whilst the wines of Vargellas provide elegance and finesse with their wonderfully pure and complex fruit, the wines of Terra Feita express a sensuous hedonism and earthiness.

TASTING NOTES

Inky purple black centre with a narrow violet rim. From the first moment, the nose is drawn into a complex and powerful vortex of dense, creamy blackberry, raspberry and cassis aromas fused with subtle notes of gumcistus and mint. This is classic Vintage Port with its extraordinary quality of fruit, combining power with refinement and complexity. The thickly textured tannins provide body and structure, and the palate is brimming with fine, concentrated black fruit flavour, which flows over into the long finish.

HOW TO SERVE

Single Quinta Vintage Ports are generally earlier maturing than the Classic Taylor's Vintage Ports and are ready to drink from ten years but will go on developing for another twenty years or so. Serve with strong blue cheeses, walnuts, or dried fruits. Alternatively, simply savour the rich and complex flavours of the wine on their own.

“Intensely aromatic: rich, tarry and spicy with a lovely combination of freshness and richness. The palate is concentrated, dense and savoury with a lovely tension between the sweet, dark fruits and the savoury, spicy notes. Lovely richness and density, with firm tannins. Brilliant.” 96 points

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TAYLOR'S QUINTA DE TERRA FEITA 2008

VINTAGE
2008

STYLE
Port

BLEND OF GRAPES

Touriga Nacional
Touriga Francesa
Tinta Roriz
Tinta Barroca
Tinta Cão
Tinta Amarela

WINEMAKER
David Guimaraens

ALCOHOL
20%

