2012 FLOR DE CRASTO - RED WINE



APPELLATION Douro	VINEYARDS "Patamares" (terraces) and "vinha ao alto" (rows of vines planted up and down the slope)	SOIL Schist
ASPECT	AGE OF VINES	ALCOHOL, AVB
East / South	8 - 12 years old	14%

BOTTLING ANALYSIS T. Acidity: 4.6 gr/L June 2013 pH: 3.73 R. Sugar: 0.6 gr/L

GRAPE VARIETIES

Tinta Roriz, Touriga Franca and Touriga Nacional.

WINEMAKING

The grapes were taken to the winery in 22 kg boxes. On arrival in the winery they were rigorously inspected on a sorting table. The grapes were then destemmed and crushed, and transferred to stainless steel tanks. The alcoholic fermentation took place at controlled temperature for 7 days.

AGEING

Stainless steel vats.

TASTING

Colour: Bright violet.

Nose: Fresh fruit aroma with hints of ripe berry fruit and subtle floral notes.

Palate: Fresh and stylish on the palate. Medium volume, wrapped in rounded and soft textured tannins. Fresh berry fruit notes are well combined with a compact structure. Good persistence.

WINEMAKERS

Manuel Lobo.

