



## **PARTNER WINERY**

### **ALENTEJO – FITAPRETA**

António Maçanita, Portugal's iconic wine maker is the owner of Fitapreta Vinhos and 2018 Portugal's wine maker of the year. Fitapreta Vinhos wines are Macanita's dedication to a new examination of terroir in Alentejo. These wines from Alentejo are superb, with freshness, delineation of fruit and elegance.

Fitapreta Vinhos wines have beautiful purity and are some of the most balanced wines from Alentejo. Macanita's wine making and viticulture is based the Portuguese idea of *Palpite*. It is the reliance on the land and the natural process in the vineyards to make wines that are imbued with a singular sense of place. It is gravity-fed and all wines are spontaneously fermented with indigenous yeasts. Small parcels of each vineyard are fermented separately to preserve distinct qualities. These are then blended to achieve a layered, and complete picture of the terroir.

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