

KTIMA TSELEPOS AVLOTOPI 2003 Regional Wine of Tegea

Vintage:	2003
Production:	7,000 bottles
Producer:	Ktima Tselepos, Peloponnese
Wine maker:	Yiannis Tselepos
Varietal composition:	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Alcohol content:	14% vol
Vineyard:	This single vineyard of Cabernet planted at Avlotopi Tegea is composed of clay- loam soil.
Yield:	55 hl per ha.
Harvesting:	Brix at harvest is 23.4; the grapes were hand-harvested between 30 September and 10 October 2003.



Vinification:	Pre-fermentation maceration of 5 days at 7-10C followed by 8 days fermentation in stainless steel at 20-28C. Post-fermentation maceration of 12 days at 22-25C.
Cask composition and ageing:	15 months in French oak (new to 2 years); malolactic fermentation and 2 months of lees stirring. Blended after ageing. Not filtered. Bottled 31/05/2005; released August 2005.
Tasting note:	Aromas of mature red fruits and spices with evident vanilla and coffee. Rich and balanced with a perfect tannin structure, full in the mouth and with a lingering finish. Can be cellared for 8-10 years.
Chemical analysis:	Wine pH 3.45 Total acidity 3.4g/l (tartaric) Residual sugar 1.35g/l
Recent distinctions:	Silver: International Wine Competition Thessalonika 2006 Silver: Vinalies Internationales 2006