



Enjoy with fatty and smoked fish or shellfish. Exceptional with semi-cured goat cheeses, perfect with food in general."

Mi Moboredo Madeira

QUINTA DA PEDRA ESCRITA WHITE / 2020

Organic wine. / Dry farming. / Organic grown grapes of Verdelho, Alvarinho, Rabigato and Viognier varieties, exclusively estate grown. / Granitic soil of the Douro Superior, very sandy at an altitude of 575m. / Fermentation in seasoned french oak barrels and ageing with fine less stirring — 'batonnage'.

GRAPES

Verdelho (40%), Alvarinho (30%), Rabigato (20%), Viognier (10%).

ORIGIN

Quinta da Pedra Escrita estate is located in Freixo de Numão - Douro Superior, with an average altitude of 575 meters. The windy and dry soils of the Estate are predominantly of granite, sandy and very poor in nutrients. Here I grew my first vineyards, always believing that the granite soils give us wines with highly complex aromas and great longevity, like in the old times.

VINIFICATION

Hand-picked grapes to small perforated boxes of 15 Kg, cold fermentation technology on reductive environment, with controlled temperature at about 16 °C, very gentle crushing and pressing in an inert atmosphere to preserve all the aromatic potential of grapes. We made a great effort that all the pre-fermentation operations are carried out within the greater accuracy because it's responsible for the intrinsic quality of future wine. This wine fermented in used French oak and remains there after a short racking on fine lees with regular stirring "battonage" until the making of the final blend in the end of Spring time.

AGEING

Fermentation and ageing in seasoned French oak barrels for 6 months with "batonnage" until bottling, followed by a period of maturation in bottle for at least 4 months.

TECHNICAL NOTES

WHITE WINE

VINTAGE 2020

APPELLATION VINHO REGIONAL DURIENSE

ALCOHOL 13%

pH 3,30

TOTAL ACIDITY 6,6 g/dm³

TOTAL SUGARS 2,2 g/dm³

ALLERGY ADVICE Contains sulphites

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