



VIEIRA DE SOUSA

VINTAGE PORT 2017



AWARDED 18 POINTS FROM JANCIS ROBINSON

An excellent wine from a difficult harvest year, in which the grape yield was 25% lower than in the previous vintage.

The wine is produced from a single vineyard, Quinta da Agua Alta, a high-altitude, east facing site that is known for producing dark, complex wines with extensive aging potential.

Data

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Touriga Francesa, Tinto Cão, Tinta Roriz

Average Vine Age: Over 30 Years

Soil: Schist

Alcohol: 20%

The Vieira de Sousa family has been producing Port for at least 5 generations, beginning with José Silvério Vieira de Sousa. The family continues to harvest from its 60 hectares in the Douro Valley, including its 4 single-vineyard Quintas. The winemaking is carried out in the family's six wineries, located from the Douro Valley, to Quinta da Fonte, to Sabrosa, with particular focus on each style. The results are Port wines that reflect not only the knowledge and talent of a classic winemaking family, but also the energy and excitement granted by modern production techniques.

