



QUINTA DO PORTAL  
MALVIS TINTO 2014  
DOC DOURO

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FINE WINEMAKERS  
DOURO VALLEY



## GRAPE VARIETIES:

Touriga Franca (40%), Tinta Roriz (30%) and Tinta Barroca (30%)

## HARVEST:

### Type:

Hand-picked and transported to winery in small baskets.

### Date

From 18th September till 6th October.

**Yield:** 6,5 tons/ha

## WINEMAKING:

### Alcoholic fermentation:

In stainless steel with maceration at 25-26°C.

### Ageing:

Aged 3 months in french oak barrels.

<b>WINE ANALYSIS:</b>	<i>REG.</i>	<i>16210</i>
<b>Alc. on Label:</b>	13,00%	
<b>Álcool on Wine:</b>	12,99%	
<b>Residual Sugar:</b>	0,9 (g/dm <sup>3</sup> )	
<b>Total acidity:</b>	5,0 (g/l)(Ác.Tart)	
<b>pH</b>	3,83	

## BOTTLING:

### Date/Closure:

February 2016 with natural cork.

**Quantity:** 7.500 bottles.

## NUTRITIONAL FACTS:

**Calories:** 75 cal/100ml

### Other info:

May be included in vegetarian diet.

### Suggestion:

It can be enjoyed with your favourite meat or chesses.

## VITICULTURAL INFO:

Fall and Winter were atypical with both rainfall and temperatures well above average. Budburst occurred between the second and third weeks of March and the vegetative cycle started quickly, due to the availability of water in the subsoil and the high temperatures. Flowering came in May. There was some "desavinho" (no transformation of the flower into fruit) in the higher ground vineyards. In this period there was an higher than average disease pressure.

In the Summer we had moderate temperatures with high rainfall in July that favored the optimal development of the grapes and exuberance of the foliar surface. This led to great expectations towards the overall quality of the vintage. However in September there was persistent rainfall that deteriorated the quality of some varieties by not allowing their correct maturation.

MIGUEL SOUSA

## WINEMAKER NOTES:

Made with a very carefully winemaking, using gravity and precise techniques, this wine has a dark dense colour, with aromas of cinnamon and jam. It is full bodied with ripe tannins, and a long and complex finish, with fruit and oak in perfect harmony. A modern and pleasant Douro red.

PAULO COUTINHO