

A SHORT HISTORY

Quinta do Portal is a familiar independent Portuguese company which has passionately embraced the concept “Boutique Winery”, devoting themselves to the production of DOC Douro wines, special category Port Wines and Moscatel.

Mansilha Branco family, Quinta do Portal owners, have been wine producers in Douro region since immemorial times (the first reference dates back to 1477, when king D. Afonso V, granted the “Oliveira Comenda” in Riba de Douro to D. Afonso de Mansilha) and have always been linked to Douro evolution and direction, as it happened with the creation of The General Company of Agriculture and Vines from Alto Douro on 10th September 1756, which gave origin to the first demarked region in the world, by the hand of Frei João de Mansilha.

Our agriculture real estate consists of four Quintas (Quinta do Portal, Quinta dos Muros, Quinta do Confradeiro and Quinta da Abelheira), which cover an area of more than one hundred hectares on Pinhão river hillsides.

Ahead of this project as resident winemaker is Paulo Coutinho, with a UTAD degree that work with us since 1994.

As founder members of “Rota do Vinho do Porto”, we are delighted to receive visitors in our facilities at **Quinta do Portal** (Celeirós do Douro, road to Pinhão, Sabrosa, EN323 Km12), where you can taste our wines while enjoying the magnificent landscape of the Pinhão Valley.

You can count on Casa das Pipas and Casa do Lagar as proposals of enotourism presented by **Quinta do Portal** to everyone who loves taking a rest and simultaneously enjoying environments linked to the wine and the earth.

We also open the doors of our vinification center and wine aging warehouse to our guests so that they can take with them the true image of a true house of fine winemakers.