

## DUAS ÁRVORES FIELD BLEND 2014



COMPANY: Duas Árvores celebrates the friendship and the dream of two great friends to reconnect with their Lusitanian roots. Their surnames, Castanheira and Oliveira, two typical Portuguese trees, inspired the brand's name. Their goal is to create wines that express the full character of the vineyards and traditional grape varieties of the Douro. Wines balanced between concentration, complexity, and elegance.

TASTING NOTES: Wine with a ruby color. Fruity and elegant aromatics with slight notes of spices. On the palate, it presents an excellent balance between acidity and firm, mature tannins. Should be served between 15 and 17°C.

VINIFICATION: The harvest took place manually under perfect weather conditions in the third week of September 2014. The grapes were carefully selected and destemmed. They fermented in stainless steel vats with automatic temperature control. Aged in used French oak barrels (3rd and 4th year) for 16 months.

## TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Region: Demarcated Region of Douro Sub-region: Cima-Corgo | Pinhão Valley | Mendiz Valley Soil Type: Schist Vineyards: Quinta da Marcela, Botas, and Dom Vasco Age of Vines: 10 years and 30 years Grape Varieties: Touriga Franca, Tinta Roriz, Mourisco, Touriga Nacional, Tinta Barroca, and various from old vines Density per ha: 4400 plants on average Altitude: between 100 and 550 m Harvest Period: third week of September 2014 Harvest Method: Manual, grapes transported in 20 kg boxes Bottled: February 2017 Production: 6000 bottles Alcohol: 13% Total Acidity: 4.9 g/L (Tartaric Acid) Volatile Acidity: 0.6 g/L (Acetic Acid) pH: 3.64 Total Sugars: 0.0 g/L Total Dry Extract: 29.7 g/L