

GRAFT
WINE COMPANY

OPTA WHITE / BOAS QUINTAS / 2017 / DÃO AND LAFÕES / PORTUGAL

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PRODUCER

Nuno Cancela de Abreu was born and raised in the Dão region of northern Portugal, to the south of the famous Douro valley. It was there he began his winemaking career; after which he was instrumental in reviving the endangered Arinto grape in Bucelas. Poor granite and sandy soils force the vines to work hard, while the whole area is surrounded by mountains offering protection as well as challenges, such as springtime humidity.

BOAS QUINTAS

VITICULTURE + VINIFICATION

Clay soil, mountains, cordon royal vineyards system. Hot sunny days, cool nights and cool, misty mornings. Hand harvested. Whole bunch pressed, then destalked. Stainless steel fermentation at 14 degrees. No oak used. None

TASTING NOTE

Crisp, mineral fresh white from Dao produced from three indigenous varieties.

FACTS + STATS

WINEMAKER	NUNO CANCELA DE ABREU
VARIETIES	60% ENCRUZADO, 20% CERCEAL, 20% MALVASÍA
APPELLATION	DÃO AND LAFÕES
FORMAT	0.750L
CLOSURE	SCREW TOP
ALCOHOL	12.5%
SUGAR	3.8 G/L
TOTAL ACIDITY	5.6 G/L
ORGANIC	NO
BIODYNAMIC	NO
VEGAN	YES
VEGETARIAN	YES
TOTAL SULPHUR	38/145 MG/L
CASE SIZE	6

