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AMORIM FAMILY

The Amorim family have been involved in wine since 1870, when they first negotiated sales of cork to the Caves de Vinho do Porto, in Vila Nova de Gaia. Today they are one of the most renowned family groups in Portugal with businesses in many countries and in many different lines of activity.

Since 1999, the fourth generation of the family is now involved in wine, through the capable hands of Luisa Amorim, working in renowned Quintas where wines and vineyards have ancestral roots of cultural importance in the Douro, at Quinta Nova de Nossa Senhora do Carmo and now in the Dão, at the Taboadella estate, creating wines of extraordinary quality, with a sense of place.

Luísa Amorim: CEO





A charming landscape of gently rolling hills, set between majestic mountains, and cut by rivers and pine & eucalyptus forests, where ancient old houses and palaces replete with history combine with the dreams of the friendly hardworking people.

Here, protected by walls and natural forest lie the vineyards of Taboadella, where we plan to produce wines that are both classic and distinctive.

DÃO DEMARCATED REGION

The Dão region was officially constituted in 1908, set against a background of great turmoil in the European vineyard - in full battle against the phylloxera epidemic - becoming the premier wine producing region in Portugal for non sweetened wines.

Originally named "*Região Vinícola da Beira Alta*", in 1912 after its geographical surroundings, with 16 "councils", just as they exist today, having then been reorganised into 7 sub-regions, in 1933. Of the total of 376.000 ha just a small area of 5% of the agricultural land is dedicated to vines with the title "Denomination of Protected Origin".



Range Mountains:
Serra da Nave (WNW-ESE, 1016m)
Serra da Estrela (SW-NE, 1993m)
Serra do Açor (SW-NE, 1418m)
Serra do Buçaco (NNW-SSE, 549m)
Serra do Caramulo (NNE-SSW, 1075m)

Rivers:
Rio Paiva (NE)
Rio Vouga (NE)
Rio Dão (SW)
Rio Mondego (SW)



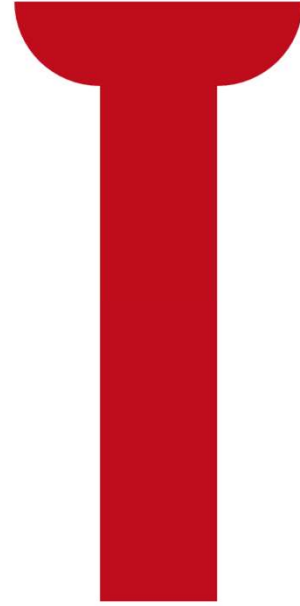
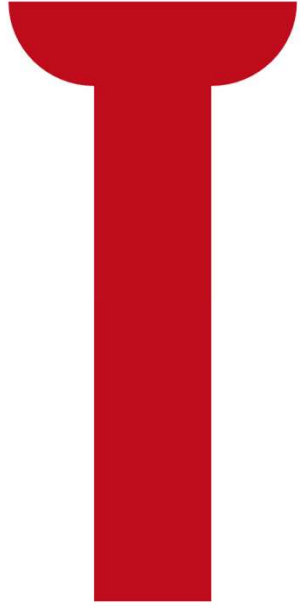
THE DÃO AND ITS MICRO-TERROIRS

Located in the Beira Alta, in a mountainous enclave of north-central Portugal, the demarcated region of Dão is an area with characteristics that are genuinely unique in the world, surrounded by mountains and featuring river confluences.

The Dão is a classic region with distinct rocky outcrops and vines planted between 100m and 800m altitude, in the main (more than 90%) in rocky terraces of granite with good drainage. The average vineyard holding is just 0.35 ha. The unique geomorphology which creates several unique and different micro-terroirs, contributes to the enormous diversity of wine styles from both black and white grapes (10,683 ha and 2,613 ha respectively).







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THE PLACE

THE ROMAN IDENTITY

Taboadella is located in Silvã de Cima —Sãtão council, district of Viseu — which many years ago was a small parish of the territory of Golfar, which was given to knights that once belonged to the Order of Christ (Knights Templar) and later elevated in status to that of 'council', having received the formal charter of King D. Manuel, on 20 August 1504. The property appears to have belonged to several knighted families, as shown in the 19th century stone coats of arms of the Azeredo e Albuquerque families.

But the name Taboadella goes back much further in antiquity with recorded mention. The occupation dates back to the 1st century, as shown by the many traces found here, such as a funerary inscription. The place had a Roman villa, with a unique quadrangle alongside the Ribeira das Fontainhas and was in its day a property of the high rural classes, consisting of a house, winery, granary and other small outbuildings. This rural community formed part of the Roman occupation plan, the strategy being to plant vineyards in occupied lands to establish a foothold and to mark their farming and cultural territory. Wine also helped to pay the salaries of the Roman soldiery as well as being an important product to export. From these times, the Roman wine press remains on the property, which today is a stop and contemplation point in Taboadella.

In medieval times, historical references to Taboadella re-emerged in 1255, showing houses on the property in a cosy forest setting, with pine trees, oak, chestnut, surrounded by a garden extending to the vineyard plots. Of the records found, it stands out a mention in the 17th and 18th centuries, and even a mention in the King's Population register instructed by King João III, in 1527, a reference in the Leitura Nova (an important historical document of the time) of King Manuel I, and in the Inquisitions of King Afonso III, in 1258.

A place full of life and character, which still today has the "modus vivendi" of those distant days.







THE ROMAN LAGAR

Built next to the vineyard, near the estate's houses, the Lagar (wine press), built in a monolithic boulder, is one of the oldest historical vestiges of winemaking in the Dão region.

Taboadella's ancient wine press consists of three basic components:

- the rectangular floor, about 2.70 metres long, where the grapes were pressed;
- the lower basin, where the “alforges” (traditional double shoulder bags) or ceramic pots were placed, into which the must flowed, through a small opening;
- and a flatter top surface, protected by a rim, where the grape skins and seeds accumulated. Although a great deal of information has been passed down to us about winegrowing processes in the Roman era, we still lack detailed knowledge about the type of technology used to press the grapes. The most commonly-accepted hypothesis is that the grapes were pressed using a large stone.

A UNIQUE VINEYARD

Taboadella consists of 42 hectares of vineyards lying between Vale do Pereiro and the Vale do Sequeiro, in a high triangular plateau of 400 - 530 m altitude, with gentle slopes towards the Southeast, and a sunny exposition to the south and west.

The mountain chains protect the vineyard from the Atlantic weather and the bitter winds from Spain, resulting in a microclimate perfectly located where maritime and continental influences meet. The autumn equinox brings a marked change to the weather, and generally there are heavy rains and sometimes frost to greet the end of Spring.

The vineyards are not irrigated, maintaining traditional qualities and typicity in the 26 parcels in an 'integrated' system, characterised by a planting density of 3500 plants per hectare and a median production of 4000 kg por hectare. In the 1980s the vineyard was partially replanted, with Tinta Roriz and Encruzado, Cerceal-Branco and Borrado das Moscas (Bical) being introduced. Today the average age of the vines is 30 years, but we still have some that are more than 100.



SOILS WITH CHARACTER

The Taboadella vineyard is planted in a porphyroid granite soil with easy weathering, that has resulted in poorly developed soils, with low water retention capacity and, normally, with a shallow arable layer. The soil composition is the result of alteration of two types of granites from the Paleozoic age. The oldest corresponds to a relatively altered granite, of fine-to medium granularity. The other, is a coarse granite, dominated by the presence of feldspar crystals, each about 1 cm long.

Like other terroirs in the world's biggest wine regions, Taboadella benefits from enormous interaction between the granite subsoil and its topography, with coarse elements associated with the steep slopes that allow extensive and rapid drainage and water flow. The steep slopes enable effective "rinsing" of the soils, ensuring that rainfall (15- 20 mm) in the months of July, August and September even before the harvest, has little influence on the quality of production.

7 different types of granitic soil can be identified:

- 3.4 ha Sandy and stratified, with fragments, of granite. Brown colour.
- 4.71 ha Sand-silty and stratified. Brown colour.
- 3.13 ha Sand-silty , with horizons. Dark brown colour.
- 3.85 ha Sandy, homogeneous. Grey to brownish colour,.
- 0.79 ha Granular sandy . Brown to grey colour.
- 13.7 ha Sandy, coarse, with fragments of feldspar. Brown colour.
- 12.36 ha Silt-sandy, thick. Brownish grey colour.



ANCESTRAL LOCAL GRAPE VARIETIES

TOURIGA NACIONAL AND ENCRUZADO

Of the twenty or so grape varieties recommended for use in the Dão, that mark the different styles and qualities of our greatest wines, the Touriga Nacional and Encruzado stand out and have successfully travelled to other regions.

Touriga Nacional, iconic among the most notable Portuguese varieties in the world, originates in this region – from the village of Tourigo in the sub region of Besteiros, Tondela. It makes a red wine of deep colour, full of body and structure, rich in tannins with an explosive and concentrated flavour, rich in aromas of flowers and fruit. The Encruzado, also known as the Salgueirinho, is almost exclusively cultivated in this region.

Unlike other Portuguese varieties with a long history, Encruzado is relatively recent arrival, appearing first around 70 years ago. It produces wines that are surprisingly elegant and complex with vegetal and floral notes, and elevated freshness and long persistent.

RED GRAPE VARIETIES (30,5 HA)

Tinta Roriz – 26,7%
Touriga Nacional – 19,06%
Jaen – 15,7%
Alfrocheiro – 6,63%
Tinta Pinheira – 3,62%
Baga – 0,64%

WHITE GRAPE VARIETIES (11,5 HA)

Vinhas velhas (field blend) – 1,73%
Cerceal – 2,38%
Bical – 4,72%
Encruzado – 18,38%

Experimental Tests: 0,44%





SUSTAINABILITY

Sustainable winegrowing depends on a balanced natural heritage

At Taboadella, our wines are born from the vineyard and the local landscape

In order to preserve natural biodiversity, we assume environmental responsibility - based on minimum disturbance of the soils in our ecological mosaic. We respect traditional integrated winegrowing techniques and practices, that combine biological and biodynamic processes. We maintain the profile of our wines, through efficient management of resources and tireless concern for quality, upholding the high standards that we have set for ourselves. All these elements are fundamental to ensure validation of a project that guarantees a future for future generations.

The ecological landscape

The 50-hectare Taboadella estate is one of the most important elements of the local agricultural system, guaranteeing long-term ecological value and preservation of biodiversity, integrating rural and urban communities with sustainable production systems and consumption patterns.

THE WINERY

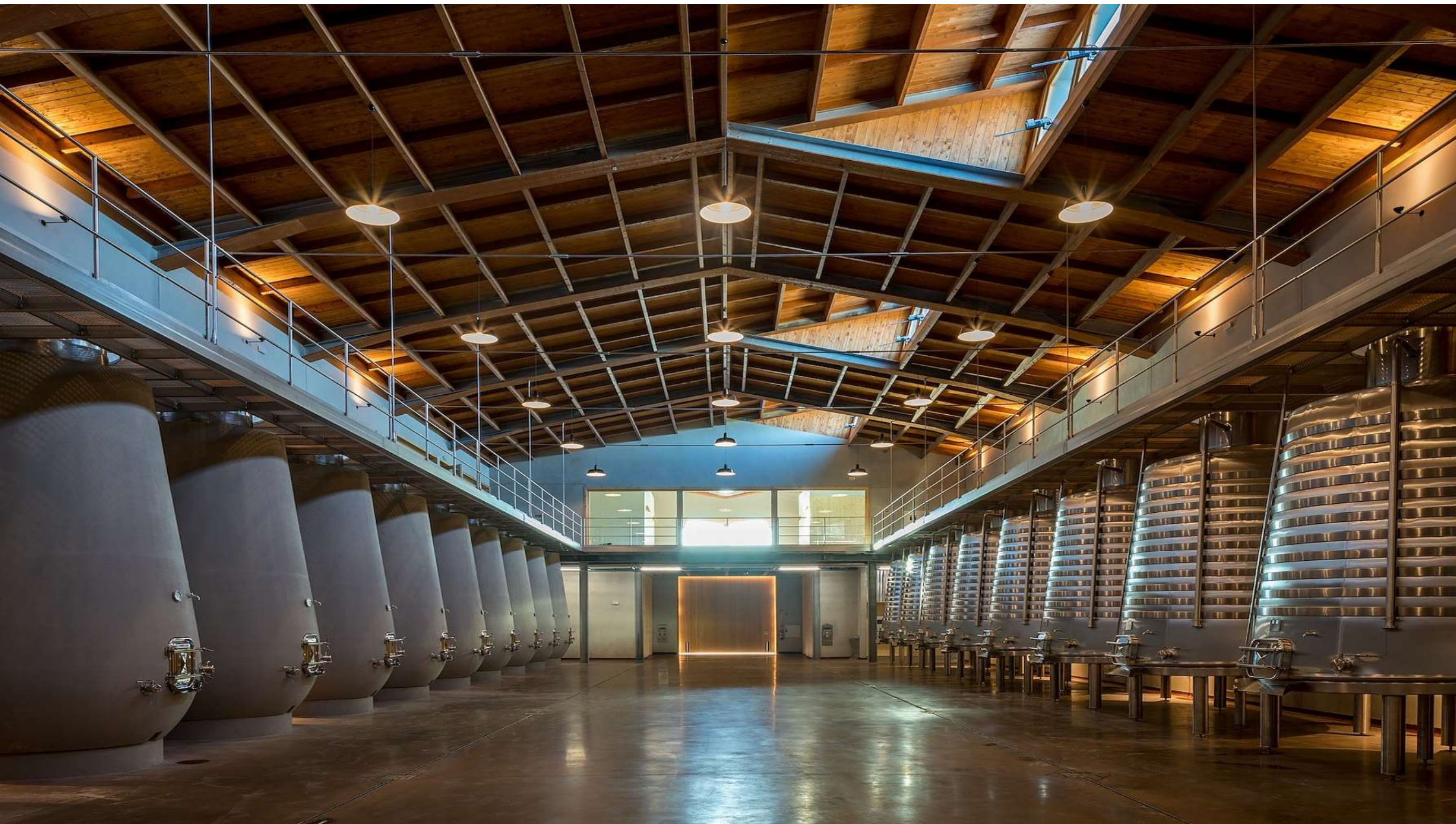
The Taboadella winery is a landmark architectural work and a must-see for visitors to the Dão region. Fostering a strong connection with nature it is designed to enable the entry of just the right amount of natural light to create the ideal environment and temperature for gravity flow winemaking. The original Barrel Top Walk enables you to cross the barrels in the wine cellar. The visits ends with the dazzling surprise of a huge balcony, from where you can catch a glimpse of the magnificent vineyard, as if enjoying a Great Wine.

Building Date: 2020

Area: 2500 m²

Production: 400.000 liters









BARREL TOP WALK

The Barrel Top Walk is a wooden walk way above the barrel cellar. This innovative architectural project offers views over the cellar, interacting with the space in a natural and authentic manner. It gains its own expression in time. Storage of the wines in 500-litre French oak barrels, softens and prolongs the ageing process, endowing greater complexity and refinement to the final batches. Seeing, smelling the aroma and hearing the sound of the barrels is a great challenge for the senses.

THE TECHNICAL TEAM

The winemaking duo Jorge Alves and Rodrigo Costa create wines inspired by the ancestry of the vineyard, under the production and sustainability management of Ana Mota, who also manages Quinta Nova de Nossa Senhora do Carmo, in the Douro region.

The team, led by the consultant Jorge Alves, one of Portugal's most renowned winemakers, and Rodrigo Costa, resident winemaker with extensive experience in the Dão region, has accepted this exciting challenge at Taboadella, where they are pursuing highly consistent and exemplary work.

Luísa Amorim: CEO

Ana Mota: Viticulture

Jorge Alves: Oenology | Consultancy

Rodrigo Costa: Oenology





IDENTITY

The Roman soul of Taboadella bears testament to its long history.

With extreme conditions of soil and climate between Vale do Pereiro and Vale do Sequeiro, Taboadella's heart lies among ancient local grapes and vines: Jaen, Touriga Nacional, Alfrocheiro and Tinta Pinheira which have given rise to new cuttings throughout their lives, that have contributed to the original vines, since they derive from highly resistant vines which are perfectly adapted to the terroir.

Here - where the past and the future meet - our wines are born from the vineyard and the local landscape, with special, dedicated care that allows us to retrieve the essence of nature from the past and project great wines, with remarkable typicality, into the future while, maintaining the ancestral character of the Dão region. This is Taboadella's identity, in vine as in life!



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VmwOMUowqJ0&t=12s>



TABOADELLA VILLAE

The Villae are blended unoaked wines that highlight the character of the Taboadella grape variety. Intense, they are delicately scented, lighter, with soft tannins and refreshing acidity.



TABOADELLA VILLAE

WHITE

Grape Varieties: Encruzado, Bical and Cerceal branco

The exuberance and transparency of the Encruzado grape variety, combined with the delicate floral aromas of Bical and the austerity of Cercial, made it possible “to design” a Taboadella Villae white wine that has a unique profile and vibrant acidity - a beautiful testimony to the original terroir!

2022 Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, Market Choice, PT
2022 www.jamesuckling.com, 90 pts
2021 www.jamesuckling.com, 90 pts
2021 Decanter World Wine Awards 2022, 93 pts, UK
2021 Roger Voss, Wine Enthusiast, 88 pts, USA
2021 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 88 pts, USA
2020 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 88 pts, USA
2019 José Peñín, 92 pts, Spain
2019 www.wineanorak.com, 91 pts, UK
2019 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 89 pts, USA



TABOADELLA VILLAE

RED

Grape Varieties: Tinta Roriz, Jaen, Alfrocheiro and Tinta Pinheira

Made from four distinctive grape varieties, the Taboadella Villae red wine is a differentiated lot that may be described as a “perfect marriage”. The Tinta Roriz grape variety endows structure and muscle, Jaen reveals its natural dynamism, Alfrocheiro brings minerality and Tinta Pinheira reveals the aromas of the forest and woods..

2020 Roger Voss, Wine Enthusiast, 90 pts Editors' Choice, USA
2020 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA
2020 Decanter World Wine Awards 2022, 90 pts, UK
2019 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA
2019 Revista Grandes Escolhas, 17 pts Best Choice, Portugal
2018 www.wineanorak.com, 92 pts, UK
2018 Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 91 pts, USA



TABOADELLA CAEMENTA

Caementa is the wine that revives the tradition of cement (*caementa* in Latin) in the Dão region in a contemporary version. Its fermentation and ageing in NicoVelo cement tulips made it possible to create a transparent, elegant, mineral brilliant and fresh wine, full of energy with a vibrant acidity and textured body. Taboadella Caementa is a rosé wine that awakens our senses and represents a classic expression of the Dão region with a firm, well-defined profile.



TABOADELLA CAEMENTA

ROSE

Grape Varieties: Tinta Roriz

Using Tinta Roriz grapes, planted at an altitude of between 400 and 500 metres, and with vinification in cement tulips it has been possible to create the first Taboadella Caementa Rosé wine in a less intrusive version, which delivers greater aromatic clarity and physical persistence without interfering with the kinetics of the fermentation process, thereby underlining the genuine character of the Tinta Roriz grape variety and highlighting the expression of Taboadella's unique terroir.



2022 | Revista Paixão pelo Vinho, 17 pts, Portugal
2022 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 16.5 pts, Portugal

TABOADELLA RESERVA SINGLE GRAPE VARIETY RANGE

The Monovarietais Reserva (single variety reserva wines) are the result of a selection of plots that during the growing season have always been highly balanced, thereby making it possible to obtain unique and highly personalised wines, some rather proud and even haughty; but all of which unequivocally reveal their origin.



TABOADELLA ENCRUZADO RESERVA

WHITE

Grape Varieties: Encruzado

Encruzado, also known as Salgueirinho, is an endemic grape variety from the Dão region. Cultivated in the sheltered highlands of Taboadella's vineyard, in granites that have metamorphosed over hundreds of thousands of years, it has a delicate cultivation and requires increased attention during the growing season... The reward is huge, the Taboadella Encruzado Reserva is firm and exuberant, with a silky texture, linear structure and notable depth. It is a wine of the present and future.

2022 | www.jamessuckling.com, 91 pts
2021 | Decanter World Wine Awards, 90 pts, UK
2021 | Roger Voss, Wine Enthusiast, 92 pts, USA
2021 | Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA
2021 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17.5 pts, Best Choice, Portugal
2020 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 92 pts, USA
2020 | Revista de Vinhos, 17.5 pts, Portugal
2019 | Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA

2019 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, Press Choice, Portugal
2019 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas (ML), 17.5 pts, Portugal
2018 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, USA
2018 | www.wineanorak.com, 92 pts, UK
2018 | José Peñin, 92 pts, Spain
2018 | www.jamessuckling.com, 91 pts
2018 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17.5 pts, Portugal



TABOADELLA ALFROCHEIRO RESERVA

RED

Grape Varieties: Alfrocheiro

The Alfrocheiro grape variety first emerged in Portugal and in the Dão region after the phylloxera epidemic and finds its natural territory in this region. We do not know of any foreign or national origins of this grape variety, but it was once known as the “Tinta Francesa de Viseu” (= French red grape variety from Viseu). It is a very rare, high-altitude grape variety, that teaches us to produce small amounts and respect its fragility. The Taboadella Alfrocheiro Reserva has firm, delicate and structuring tanins.

2020	Roger Voss, Wine Enthusiast, 93 pts Cellar Selection, USA	2018	www.wineanorak.com, 94 pts, UK
2020	Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 92 pts, USA	2018	Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, USA
2020	Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 18 pts, Portugal	2018	www.jamesuckling.com, 92 pts
2020	Revista de Vinhos, 17.5 pts, Highly Recommended, Portugal	2018	Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 91 pts, USA
2019	Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, USA	2018	José Peñin, 91 pts, Spain
2019	Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA	2018	Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17.5 pts, Portugal
2019	Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas (JPM), 17 pts, Portugal	2018	Revista de Vinhos, 17 pts, Portugal



TABOADELLA JAEN RESERVA

TINTO

Castas: Jaen

With Jaen we discover the Iberian Peninsula in Portugal (an identity associated with the Mencia grape variety). The breezy altitudes of the Dão region foster succulent, bluish fruits and white spices. Taboadella's gentle slopes deliver this modernity. Taboadella Jaen Reserva is one of the estate's treasures, offering the delight of fruity and intense aromas, combined with allspice, placing this grape variety in another dimension. The wine's beautiful structure, supported by soft, fine and coated tannins, is perfectly combined with its tense and delicate body.

2020 Roger Voss, Wine Enthusiast, 91 pts, USA
2020 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 91+ pts, USA
2020 Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17 pts, Portugal
2020 Revista de Vinhos, 18 pts, Highly Recommended, Portugal
2019 Mundus Vini 2022, Gold, Germany
2019 Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 90 pts, USA
2019 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 92 pts, USA
2019 Revista de Vinhos, 17.5 pts, Highly Recommended, Portugal

2018 www.wineanorak.com, 94 pts, UK
2018 Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 91 pts, USA
2018 Wine Spectator, 91 pts, USA
2018 José Peñin, 91 pts, Spain
2018 www.jamesuckling.com, 90 pts
2018 Revista de Vinhos, 17.5 pts, Highly Recommended, Portugal
2018 Jancis Robinson, 17 pts, UK
2018 Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17 pts, Portugal



TABOADELLA TOURIGA NACIONAL RESERVA

RED

Grape Varieties: Touriga Nacional

Touriga Nacional is the international icon of Portuguese grape varieties. It originated in the region where it finds its greatest expression - the Dão. At Taboadella it is grown close to the ground, and sparkles on its own, and Taboadella Touriga Nacional Reserva is a great example of its natural acidity in this exceptional terroir. It allows us to detect the violets whose aroma lingers in our memory, in complementarity with the notes of high altitude, black spice and the quartzitic aroma of wet granite, offering surprising complexity.

2020 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, USA
2020 | Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA
2020 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17.5 pts, Portugal
2020 | Revista de Vinhos, 18 pts, Highly Recommended, Portugal
2019 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 92 pts, USA
2019 | Revista de Vinhos, 17.5 pts, Highly Recommended, Portugal

2019 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17.5 pts, Portugal
2018 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, Portugal
2018 | www.wineanorak.com, 93 pts, UK
2018 | www.jamesuckling.com, 92 pts, Hong Kong
2018 | Revista de Vinhos, 18 pts, Portugal
2018 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 17.5 pts, Portugal



TABOADELLA GRANDE VILLAE

When we return to the land, at each step we count the geology, where the aromas of pine, rosemary and carrasco remind us of distant times, when a small community of women, men and children, lived in harmony with the produce of the land, which gave them a rich life, we also inevitably think about balances, respecting what nature offers us in a free and generous manner every day.

Grande Villae of Taboadella is one of the elements that has been handed down over generations, through community life, a waning and harsh agriculture, the roughness of the passage of time and the simplicity of life. Each sip makes us recall the aromas from former times and each gulp reveals the texture, verticality and strength of this place in the Dão region.



TABOADELLA GRANDE VILLAE

WHITE

Grape varieties: Encruzado, Bical and Vinha Velha

A classic territorial wine, linked to the estate, offering an unfiltered expression of Taboadella's wonderful terroir, as we idealised it when we first arrived.

With almost indescribable aromatic complexity, Taboadella Grande Villae white is firm, with a silky texture and refined linearity. With high concentration, it is a magnificent wine with a vibrant acidity that only the Dão region can offer, with a long, persistent and very precise finish.

2020 | Guia Copo & Alma, os melhores 301 vinhos 2023, 95 pts, Portugal
2020 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, USA
2020 | Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA
2019 | Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 93 pts, USA
2019 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 18 pts, Portugal
2019 | Revista de Vinhos, 18 pts, Portugal
2019 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas (JPM), 17.5 pts, Portugal

2019 | Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 90 pts, USA
2018 | José Peñin, 93 pts, Spain
2018 | www.wineanorak.com, 92 pts, USA
2018 | Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 91 pts, USA
2018 | www.jamessuckling.com, 91 pts
2018 | Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 18 pts, Portugal
2018 | Revista de Vinhos, 18 pts, Portugal



TABOADELLA GRANDE VILLAE

RED

Grape varieties: Alfrocheiro, Touriga Nacional and Tinta Roriz

The Taboadella Grande Villae red is a heritage wine, with a strong and generous personality, which reveals the riches of the Taboadella estate - that has always produced red wines with complex intensity and very elegant structure. It is also a wine of the future, that surprises us through its energy, amplified by its notable minerality and where we sense the call of the terroir with each gulp - the pure expression of granite, and the persistence and subtle elegance of the grape varieties cultivated in the highlands, which respect the memory of the land!

2019 Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 18.5 pts, PT
2019 Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 94 pts Cellar Selection, USA
2019 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 94+ pts, USA
2019 Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, Escolha da Imprensa, Portugal
2019 Revista Paixão pelo Vinho, 18.5 pts, Portugal
2018 www.wineanorak.com, 95 pts, UK
2018 Wine Enthusiast, Roger Voss, 94 pts, USA

2018 Público - Fugas - Manuel Carvalho (Week Proposal), 94 pts, Portugal
2018 Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Mark Squires, 93 pts, USA
2018 José Peñin, 92 pts, Spain
2018 www.jamesuckling.com 90 pts
2018 Revista de Vinhos, 18.5 pts, Portugal
2018 Revista Vinho Grandes Escolhas, 18.5 pts, Portugal



WINE TOURISM

CASA VILLAE

Taboadella's old manor house has been converted into an accommodation facility that enables visitors to experience the atmosphere of a genuine family home in the Dão region. The historic estate can only be booked on an exclusive basis, and for a minimum period of two nights, making it possible to host a family, a group of friends, or a work group (ideal for business events) in the eight rooms of this impressive stone building, with a total of 720 m². The renovation has attempted to adapt the house's original configuration to the present day and take guests on a journey of comfort, featuring local raw materials from the region - natural wool, blankets, fur or burel -, and objects connected with the estate's imaginary universe, such as the stones of the ancient Roman grape press.

Guests staying at Casa Villae will enjoy a service that includes breakfast, a welcome basket, a visit to the winery and vineyards, or book various wine tourism experiences. There is the possibility to request a pantry filled with regional grocery products to support their stay and it is also possible to hire a full meal service. All these services must be requested and booked in advance.









WINE TOURISM

WINE HOUSE AND TASTING WINES

The Wine House is the ideal place for a unique experience in the Dão region. Located next to the garden of the main house and nearby the lake, in this small and cosy house you can reserve your visit to the winery, taste some Taboadella wines and delicious Serra da Estrela cheeses, available for sale, as well as some arts and crafts produced by talented local artisans, with wines sold at special producer prices, home delivery is available.





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