

Alves de Sousa Caldas Porto White

COUNTRY	REGION	GRAPE	VINTAGE
Portugal	Douro	Malvasia Fiona, Viosinho and Gouveio	NV

ABOUT THE DOMAINE

The Alves de Sousa family has been producing wines for several generations, initially supplying fruit and wine to other port companies. When Domingos Alves de Sousa inherited his family's quintas in 1987, he began producing wine under the family name. After studying viticulture in Bordeaux and his native Portugal, acquiring additional properties and constructing a modern cellar at Quinta da Gaivosa, he released his first vintage in 1991. Since then, Domingos and his wines have gained critical acclaim. Notably, he was named "Producer of the Year" by Revista de Vinhos in 1999 and 2006; he is the only person to have won this prestigious award twice. Today, Domingos and his son, Tiago, run the estate of five quintas producing both still and fortified wines.

VINIFICATION

Fermentation stopped with the addition of Aguardente 77% V/V.

TASTING NOTES

The Caldas White Port is amber in colour. Complex, full of herbs, spices, dried orange peel, maple syrup and almonds. Full-bodied and wonderfully refined by the ripening period, combines hints of marmalade, caramel and almond paste.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol by volume
19.5%

Vegan