



QUINTA_{DAS}ARCAS

BICUDO

Vinho Verde 2019



Quinta das Arcas: In 1985 Esteve Montiero decided to turn his successful family business of grape growing into winemaking! Today the Monteiro family is the one of the top viticulturists and wine producers in the Minho Region! Dedicating themselves to producing quality grapes and wines with a focus on sustainability and modern wine making.

Bicudo: Bicudo is a small indigenous bird that lives in the vineyards and notifies the winery the grapes are ready when they start to eat the fully ripened grapes!

Tasting notes: Fresh fruity aromas with green apple. The wine has soft minerality with lemon and tropical notes with a touch of effervescence.

Wine Makers: Fernando Machado and Henrique Lopes

Imported since: 1998

Appellation: DOC Vinho Verde, Sosa, Minho

Grapes: 50% Loureiro, 40% Arinto, 10% Trajadura

Soil: schist

Vine Age: 4-30 years of age **Yield:** 20 tons per acre

Harvest Dates: middle of September to early October

Fermentation: Low temperatures fermentation in stainless steel vats.

pH: 6 **RS:** 6 grams per liter **Alc:** 11% **UPC:** 7 50428 22107 4

D.O.C. Vinho Verde: Located along the Atlantic coast in northern Portugal, Vinho Verde lies between the city of Oporto and the northern border with Spain. Vinho Verde translates to 'green wine', referring to the appearance of the region which is lush and green thanks to high precipitation and influence from the Atlantic Ocean. The area is mostly known for its light and refreshing white wines but also produces elegant and floral whites, rosé, reds and sparkling wines in diverse styles. Wine has been produced in this region for over 2,000 years since the Romans brought vines to the area during the Roman Empire.



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