



**D'sta
10**

Product of Portugal

Vinho Verde



WHAT'S VINHO VERDE?

Vinho Verde is an **exclusively produced wine from Portugal**. Its literal translation means green wine. But it's not actually green.

Green wine is not green and, in fact, it can be many colors such as **red, white or pink** – we call it **rosé**.

What green means is that the **bottle is young**. That addresses many components of its core: its body, the color, the flavor, the aroma, its alcoholic percentage, its acidity and even its fragrance.

Most wines age in aluminum or wooden barrels to develop its flavors or grow some complexity. But **Vinho Verde is young** so it does provide an unique, bold complexity.



OUR WINE

Where nature meets: the influence of the granitic soil its surrounded by, **the tasteful fruity notes** from the orchard nearby and a mild climate provides Vinho Verde an **exclusive wine** only produced here, in Portugal, especially in the Northwest, in a particularly demarcated region for such.

D.O.C. Denominação de Origem Controlada

D.O.C. is a **quality production stamp** used on cheeses, olive oils and wine **aiming to preserve its essence and authenticity**, protecting its unique characteristics such as its regional delimitation, cultural practices, soil maintenance, grapes and special varieties, production methods and bottling processes. All D.O.C. wines must follow strict regulations to ensure uniqueness and quality standards.



OUR GRAPE VARIETIES WHITE WINE



ARINTO

Arinto is a white grape variety originated from the *vitis vinifera* family. It is one of the oldest harvested in **Portugal**.

Due to its such great adaptability to different climates and terrains, it provides a distinct and almost unique aroma with very **lemony and acidic notes** - but it may vary with more **fruitful contributions** within regions caused by its versatility.

It is possible to distinguish their grapes by its berries, light green colored to yellow, medium to small sized and perfectly rounded.

Thus, it produces a young, fresh and vibrant wine, similar to others kinds such as **Pinot Blanc** or a dry **Chenin Blanc**. Surprisingly for its kind, its bottles age very well and gain some complexity due to its **mineral characteristics**.



AZAL WHITE

Azal Branco or Azal White is a variety of grapes only produced in our subregion.

The Azal variety provides an **intense color and aroma** with a slight taste of fruits - namely **peach and orange notes** - as well as a **nutty and floral flavor**. It can be described as a delicate but complex experience.

From medium to large berries, coloured in green in late maturation, **it develops its peek with sunkissed dry terrains**. Azal produces very acidic wines and usually only take part in a mixture of varieties to balance its palate.



LOUREIRO

Noble variety of grapes, highly productive and fertile, known for its **pungent orange and linden aromas**, sometimes with a peachy twist.

With vigorous, big but compact grapes, coloured in tones of light green and yellow, it produces monovarieties of wine due to its natural balanced acidity. Due to its **fragrant floral and fruity notes**, it is very common to be mixed in production.



TRAJADURA

Typical Iberian grape variety mostly used up North (Portugal) and in the Galiza (Spain) region.

Its production is **destined to be mixed for greater flavor and boldness**, mostly due to its lack of body and intensity.

Pairs perfectly with Alvarinho grape variety or even Loureiro grape variety to provide a more prominent wine with a bit more alcoholic content.



OUR GRAPE VARIETIES ROSÉ WINE



ESPADEIRO

Espadeiro is an **unique variety** used in northern Portugal and Galicia region that produces light-bodied wines associated with Vinho Verde. This variety is used to tint rosé wines with a mild pink color.

Its flavor resembles fruit and floral notes with a strong kick of acidity.



VINHÃO

An heavy-colored grape variety typically from the Douro DOC region used to produce the most dark and opaque wines.

It offers a **pungent and strong rustic** palate with high levels of acidity. It is also used to provide this Rosé Vinho Verde wine its color.

Its flavor resembles **raspberries** with a bit of **floral violet notes and spices**.



D'ESTALO WHITE

D'estalo Vinho Verde White is a semi-sparkling young wine with **strong fruity developments**, notably **green apple** and lemon. It presents a crystalline color over a bubbly body.

For a young wine it is, in fact, more acidic than others. Therefore, it is carefully chosen a mixture of multiple grape varieties to achieve the perfect balanced acidity which gives a more mild palate and finish.

The whites are ideally paired with soft and creamy cheeses, such as Feta, Brie, Gorgonzola or Raclette, among others.

Fresh fish or salted cod are other great suggestions to pop a bottle.



D'ESTALO ROSÉ


D'estalo Wine Vinho Verde Rosé is a semi-sparkling wine with **cherry colorful notes** and a **slight red berries flavor**, especially **strawberries**.


For a young wine it is, in fact, more acidic than others. But its sweetness verifies a more balanced acidity which gives a more mild palate and finish.

It is such a refreshing wine to pair with lighter foods such as appetizers, snacks or even salads and seafood. Its sweetness pairs well with desserts, too.



ENJOY RESPONSABLY

 /destalowine

 /destalowine

#destalowine

info@destalo.pt

www.destalo.pt