



"Love, Portugal"

NLC Wines Portfolio
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How do you bottle the richness of the land that is Portugal?
How do you bottle the melancholic notes of Fado, the salty
sea air of the Atlantic, the smell of wet earth, the wise and
ancient gastronomy, and the tradition of a thousand-year old
country that stretches its limbs once more?

With a passion for finding that affluence, NLC Wines brings to
the United States our private selection of unique brands that
deliver a Portugal rarely experienced before. Our portfolio of
wines brings forth Portugal's new, old-world traditions with
exquisite bouquets of national grapes, state of the art
technology, and discerning designs.

This is the Portugal we'd like you to savor. Welcome.

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Portugal is comprised of 14 different wine regions (though several have sub-regions, so really, there are quite a bit more). Every region has its own flavor and spirit which is what we've tried to capture in this line-up. You're not going to quite taste through the 250+ indigenous grapes Portugal has to offer, but definitely get ready for a wild ride.

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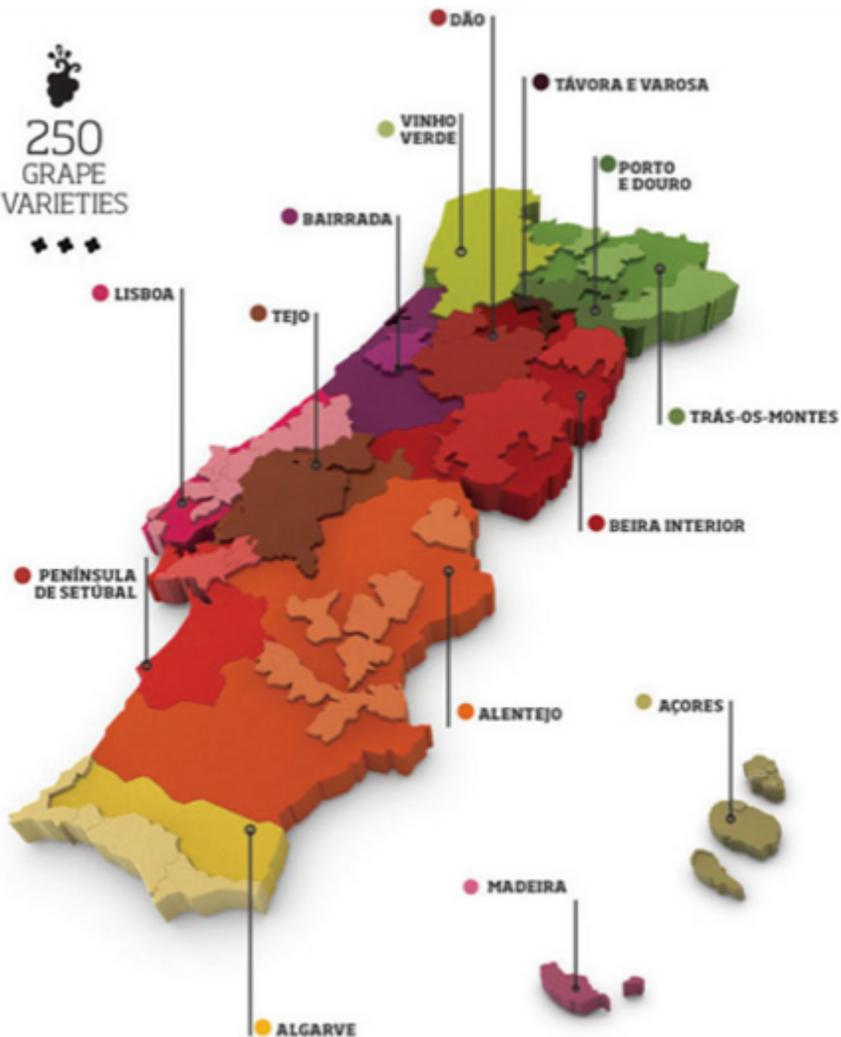
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**Estates producing wines under EU's "Integrated Protection" norms. This system reduces or minimizes risks to human health and the environment, favoring the development of healthy crops with the least possible disturbance of agricultural and forestry ecosystems and encouraging natural mechanisms of struggle against the enemies of cultures.*


250
GRAPE
VARIETIES



VINHOS VERDES

Vinho Verde is the biggest wine producing region in Portugal, located up in the cool, rainy, verdant north west. The vines grow in fertile, granite soils along rivers that flow from the mountains of the east and burst out into the ocean between golden surfing beaches. From this unique region and its native grapes comes a unique white wine. Light, fresh, young and delightfully aromatic. Vinho Verde can also be red, rosé, or sparkling.

*QUINTA DA LIXA

One of the foremost boutique producers of vinho verde, Quinta da Lixa is committed to environmental sustainability and quality.

(1) ESCUDO REAL VINHO VERDE WHITE

Vintage: 2018

Grapes: Arinto, Trajadura, Loureiro

(2) ESCUDO REAL VINHO VERDE ROSE

Vintage: 2018

Grapes: Espadeiro, Touriga Nacional

VINHOS VERDES

*QUINTA DO REGUEIRO

Recognized as one the foremost boutique producers of old-school Alvarinho in Portugal, Quinta do Regueiro is fast becoming synonymous with top shelf avant garde white wines.

(3) QUINTA DO REGUEIRO ALVARINHO/TRAJADURA

Vintage: 2018

Grapes: Trajadura, Alvarinho

(4) QUINTA DO REGUEIRO ALVARINHO

Vintage: 2018

Grapes: Alvarinho

DOURO

Long famous as the source of port wine, the Douro is now also renowned for its fine, rich unfortified wines, red, white, rose & sparkling. Steep slopes shelve deep into the Douro River. Hills stretch off into the horizon, and narrow roads wind around the hillsides. Vine terraces bask in the sun, their soil pure schist and granite.

This wild and beautiful part of northern Portugal offers extraordinarily good conditions for wine grapes. Older vines and some of the country's most elegant grapes make this region a no-brainer for full-bodied wines with excellent aging potential.

*QUINTA DOS POCOS

One of the oldest estates in the Douro, Quinta dos Pocos has been creating beautiful, rustic, old-school wines with an elegance inherent of the region.

(5) QUINTA DOS POCOS COLHEITA

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz, Touriga Franca

(6) QUINTA DOS POCOS GRANDE RESERVA

Vintage: 2014

Grapes: Tourigas Nacional & Franca, Sousão, Tinta Roriz, Tinta Barroca

DOURO

*DOURO FAMILY ESTATES

A unique partnership of four of the region's oldest estates who together launch special wines in special years that showcase the best of the Douro.

(7) DFE TN

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Touriga Nacional

*QUINTA DE SAO JOSE

A direct descendant of Dona Ferreirinha, the "doyenne" of Port, Joao Brito e Cunha creates single-estate Vintage Ports that marvel.

(8) S.J. (fortified)

Vintage: 2013

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Touriga Franca, Sousao

DOURO

*QUINTA DO POPA

On the banks of the Douro river, Quinta do Popa creates fresh, avant-garde wines with hints of old Douro and a vision of what's to come.

(9) CONTOS DA TERRA

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz, Touriga Franca, Tinta Barroca

(10) QUINTA DO POPA TN

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Touriga Nacional

(11) QUINTA DO POPA VV

Vintage: 2009

Grapes: Vinhas Velhas (old vine field blend)

TRAS OS MONTES

In the remote north east of Portugal, cut off from the coast by a series of mountain ranges, Trás-os-Montes is wild, high country, its soils poor and unproductive, mostly granitic with the odd patch of schist. With higher altitudes and extreme climates, the Trás-os-Montes wine region is producing some of Portugal's most interesting wines, with a focus on indigenous grape varieties and sustainable agriculture.

*QUINTA VALLE DE PASSOS

A young mother/daughter project that showcases the freshness, minerality and elegance of the region's varieties.

(12) VALLE DE PASSOS COLHEITA WHITE

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Malvasia, Viosinho, Codega de Larinho

(13) VALLE DE PASSOS COLHEITA RED

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Touriga Franca, Tinta Amarela

(14) VALLE DE PASSOS RESERVA WHITE

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Viosinho, Codega de Larinho, Vinhas Velhas (Old Vines)

BEIRAS

On the east of Portugal lies the region now know as Beiras. Ranging from the wild eastern uplands by the Spanish border westward to the great barrier of the Serra da Estrela, the region is home to some of the highest vineyards in Portugal. The combination of altitude (cool nights), granitic soils and sunny summer days make for bright, fresh yet delicate wines.

*LES-A-LES

The most recent project of producers Jorge Santos & Rui Lopes, this collection is a voyage through some of Portugal's forgotten wine heritage, boasting some of the rarest and most peculiar gems the country has to offer.. .

(15) SERIO DE SIRIA

Producer: Les-a-Les

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Siria

BAIRRADA

In the western part of the Beiras, between the mountainous Dao region and the surf-washed Atlantic beaches, Bairrada has a mild, maritime climate with abundant rainfall. Flat in the west, the region rises in the east into small hills, intensively farmed and sometimes wooded. This is the land of leitao, the suckling pig, and also, traditionally, of firm red wines made from the Baga grape, and bright elegant sparkling wines.

*SIDONIO DE SOUSA

One of the icons from the Bairrada region, the Sidonio de Sousa family estate has been producing exquisite still and sparkling wines with a focus on baga. The estate only works with large 100-year Portuguese oak barriques to age their wines.

(16) SIDONIO DE SOUSA COLHEITA RED

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Baga

(17) SIDONIO DE SOUSA RESERVA RED

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Baga

BAIRRADA

*SIDONIO DE SOUSA

(18) SIDONIO DE SOUSA SPARKLING BRUT NATURE WHITE

Vintage: NV

Grapes: Arinto, Bical, Maria Gomes

(19) SIDONIO DE SOUSA SPARKLING BRUT NATURE ROSE

Vintage: NV

Grapes: Baga

(20) SIDONIO DE SOUSA SPECIAL CUVÉE BRUT NATURE WHITE

Vintage: NV

Grapes: Arinto, Bical, Maria Gomes

(21) SIDONIO DE SOUSA VINHO D'AUTOR

Vintage: 2005

Grapes: Baga

DAO

Surrounded on all sides by mountains, the Dao region is protected both from the direct influence of the continental climate and from the chill and rains from the ocean. The wines from the Dao have an exquisite capacity for balance, be they red, white or rose. Homeland of two of Portugal's oldest grapes, Touriga Nacional & Tinta Roriz, the region has been producing some of the country's most elegant wines for centuries.

*QUINTA DA MARIPOSA

After working with some of the best wines of the Dao region, oenologist Lúcia Freitas returned to her family estate to create a project that harmonizes the respect for tradition with the dream of deepening the extraordinary character of the wines and the region she knows so well. We are happy to be launching her project in the US.

(22) MARIPOSA COLHEITA WHITE

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Cerceal, Encruzado, Malvasia Fina

(23) MARIPOSA COLHEITA RED

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Tinta Roriz, Touriga Nacional, Jaen

DAO

*QUINTA DO PERDIGAO

One of the purest (and organically-certified) vineyards in the Dao, Quinta do Perdigao is a true fairy forest of Portuguese grapes. Wild, rustic and elegant concoctions showcase some of the region's best..

(24) PERDIGAO JAEN

Vintage: 2013

Grapes: Jaen

(25) PERDIGAO ENCRUZADO

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Encruzado

(26) PERDIGAO ENCRUZADO

Vintage: 2018

Grapes: Encruzado

(27) PERDIGAO ALFROCHEIRO

Vintage: 2011

Grapes: Alfrocheiro

DAO

*QUINTA DE LEMOS

Young, ambitious, and chock-full of indigenous grape varieties, Quinta de Lemos creates wines that express the balance between tradition and modernity, hinting towards the region's past glory as the "Burgundy of Portugal." Super elegant and broody.

(28) QUINTA DE LEMOS JAEN

Vintage: 2011

Grapes: Jaen

(29) QUINTA DE LEMOS ALFROCHEIRO

Vintage: 2011

Grapes: Alfrocheiro

(30) QUINTA DE LEMOS DONA SANTANA

Vintage: 2006

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Tinta Roriz

(31) QUINTA DE LEMOS TOURIGA NACIONAL

Vintage: 2011

Grapes: Touriga Nacional

LISBOA

Lisboa is a long region running up beside the Atlantic with 9 unique sub-regions. From Encostas D'Aire to Colares and Bucelas, the wines from Lisbon have tremendous acidity, freshness and power. Today, Lisbon has become the incubator for many smaller garagiste projects that herald the return of old traditions of the region.

*CASAL DO RAMILO

Since 1937, the Ramilo family has been producing wines between Colares and Mafra. These Atlantic wines are created where the sea and hills come together to develop a unique micro-climate that helps produce lively Lisboan treats..

(32) JACKPOT

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Aragonez, Castelao

(33) RAMILO COLHEITA RED

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Aragonez, Touriga Nacional

(34) RAMILO ARINTO

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Arinto

(35) RAMILO VINHAS VELHAS

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Castelao

LISBOA//BUCELAS

Recognized for wines made with the Arinto grape, Bucelas is one of the oldest wine regions in Portugal and the only all-white DOC. The region became notorious by the Duke of Wellington, who made this "Portuguese Hock" famous and fashionable in London in the 1800s.

★LES-A-LES

(36) ARINTO PEDRA & CAL

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Arinto

LISBOA//COLARES

On the coast, northwest of Lisbon, there is a small D.O.C. called Colares. It is one of Portugal's most ancient areas and it is entirely planted on sand. When phylloxera destroyed most of Europe's vines in the 19th century, it didn't destroy Colares.

Their vines are all original, ungrafted, and, for the most part, very old. The wines from Colares have slowly started gaining ground and attention and we're proud to have been a big part of that growth.

The only two varietals planted are Ramisco & Malvasia.

✧CASAL DO RAMILO

In 2014, Casal do Ramilo planted its first vines of Ramisco & Malvasia on land the family had had for generations. We are thrilled to introduce their first vintage.

This 100% Malvasia de Colares from ungrafted wines was created with a distinct focus on the aromatic and textural qualities of the skin of the grape. 50% of this wine was made in the Orange/Amber wine style, allowing contact with lees throughout the fermentation period. The remaining 50% was fermented in the traditional method of Colares. The blend was created from both and staged in small barrels of French oak for two years before being bottled. 1300 bottles produced...

(37) RAMILO MALVASIA DE COLARES

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Malvasia de Colares

LISBOA//COLARES

ADEGA VIUVA GOMES

One of the oldest and most iconic houses in Colares, Adega Viuva Gomes has been working with farmers in the sandy region since the early 1800s. Although it passed hands several times, the style of wines did not change. Working in partnership with the region's coop, Adega Viuva Gomes has been keeping the traditions of Colares alive for centuries. Today, Viuva Gomes is one of the only cellars in the region to continue storing older vintages of Ramisco, dating back to 1934, effectively showcasing the incredible aging potential of the grapes in this region. NLC Wines is thrilled to have been working on spreading the Colares love for the past 6 years.

(38) ADEGA VIUVA GOMES RAMISCO '65

Vintage: 1965

Grapes: Ramisco

(39) ADEGA VIUVA GOMES RAMISCO '69

Vintage: 1969

Grapes: Ramisco

LISBOA// "ENCOSTAS D'AIRES"

The largest DOC region within the VR Lisboa area, up in the north, on the western slopes and hills of the Candeiros and Aires mountains is Encostas D'Aires. This is scenic, limestone country, clothed in orchards and olive groves as well as vines. Several still red and white wines are made in this region, but by far the most notable is the historical and traditional "Medieval de Ourem," based on a 500 year recipe found at the monastery. Blending artisanal old-school vineyard techniques and a unique fermentation method, these wines, made up of white and red grapes, are rare but fantastic. Beautiful acidity, soft plum notes, intoxicatingly floral and light bodied.

*LES-A-LES

(40) MEDIEVAL DE OUREM

Producer: Les-a-Les

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Fernao Pires, Trincadeira

MADEIRA

Off the coast of Africa, 1,000km from mainland Portugal, the semi-tropical island of Madeira has long been famous for its fortified wines..and now for its unfortified wines, DOP Madeirense. Madeira's vineyards are fragmented into tiny plots along terraces carved into the volcanic slopes. Most vines are trained on pergolas. The grapes (dominantly Tinta Negra) are harvested by small-scale growers delivering sometimes tiny quantities of grapes.

ILHA

From the youngest (and female) winemaker on Madeira, this trio of still wines are all made from the Tinta Negra grape. With a clear expression of terroir throughout the collection, this first vintage is shockingly on point.

(41) ILHA ROSE

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Tinta Negra

(42) ILHA RED

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Tinta Negra

(43) ILHA BLANC DE NOIRS

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Tinta Negra

PENINSULA DE SETUBAL

The Setúbal Peninsula lies across the estuary of the River Tagus directly south of Lisbon, and is linked to Lisbon by two bridges. This region, though recognized far and wide for its exquisite fortified Moscatels, also produces softer maritime reds and bright whites. With a long history of wine production, Setubal is also where we can find rare grapes, not found elsewhere in Portugal, and winemaking techniques that span several generations.

* JOSE MARIA DA FONSECA

Perfecting the art of wine-making for 200 years, José Maria da Fonseca is one of Portugal's oldest producers of still table wine.

(44) JMF WHITE

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Fernao Pires, Moscatel

(45) JMF RED

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Castelao, Aragones

PENINSULA DE SETUBAL

JOSE MARIA DA FONSECA

(46) DOMINGOS SOARES FRANCO VERDELHO

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Verdelho

(47) DOMINGOS SOARES FRANCO MOSCATEL ROXO (fortified)

Vintage: 2002

Grapes: Moscatel Roxo

(48) BASTARDINHO DE AZEITAO - 40 YRS (fortified)

Vintage: NV (40 YEAR)

Grapes: Bastardo

PENINSULA DE SETUBAL

HERDADE DO PORTOCARRO

Herdade do Portocarro is one of the most unique projects in Portugal.

Administratively, the estate is part of the Península de Setúbal wine region, but geographically, it is located in the Alentejo region. This special collection of wines are basically an Alentejo with Atlantic features. Hence their unmistakable style and personality.

(49) AUTOCARRO 27 RED

Vintage: 2015

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Aragones

(50) AUTOCARRO 27 RED

Vintage: 2016

Grapes: Touriga Nacional, Aragones

(51) ALFAIATE

Vintage: 2018

Grapes: Esgana Cao, Galego Dourado, Arinto, Antao Vaz

PENINSULA DE SETUBAL

HERDADE DO PORTOCARRO

(52) CAVALO MALUCO

Vintage: 2011

Grapes: Touriga Franca, Touriga Nacional, Petit Verdot

(53) PARTAGE GALEGO DOURADO

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Galego Dourado

(54) PARTAGE SERCIAL

Vintage: 2017

Grapes: Sercial

Thank you for joining us on this little big adventure.

Hope these wines brought a smile to your face and a twinkle to your eye.

Ate ja!

Naama & Luis



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