# 2015 FLOR DE CRASTO - WHITE WINE



APELLATION Douro	VINEYARDS "Patamares" (terraces) and "vinha ao alto" (rows of vines planted up and down the slope)	<b>SOIL</b> Schist
	AGE OF VINES > 20 years old	ALCOHOL, ABV 12,0%

## **BOTTLING**

February 2016

# **ANALYSIS**

Total Acidity: 5.1 gr/L pH: 3.4 Residual Sugar: 2.2 gr/L

# **GRAPE VARIETIES**

Rabigato, Códega do Larinho and Viosinho.

#### WINEMAKING

The grapes, chosen from selected plots, were taken to the winery in 22 kg plastic boxes. On arrival in the winery they were rigorously inspected on a sorting table. The grapes were then destemmed and pressed. The juice was transferred to stainless steel tanks where it remained for 48 hours at 8°C for decanting. The alcoholic fermentation took place in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks at 14°C for 30 days.

## **AGEING**

In stainless steel vats.

# TASTING

Colour: Bright lemon colour.

Aroma: Intense and fresh aromas of tropical fruit well integrated with pleasant mineral hints.

Palate: Fresh and attractive start to the palate that leads to a well-balanced wine, with a medium structure, fine texture and delightful hints of minerality. Engaging, vibrant and medium length finish.

#### WINEMAKER

Manuel Lobo.

