

Vinhos Autênticos
Authentic Wines



Sem Maquilhagem
Without Make-up

Filipa Pato & William Wouters

Product: Red Wine Nossa Calcário Baga BIO

Vintage: 2022

Grape(s):	100% Baga						
Matured in oak, months:	18	Matured in bottle, prior to release:	2 months	Alcohol content % vol.:	12.5	Organic / Bio Certification:	Certified Bio Ecocert
						Biodynamic Certification:	Biodynamic by Demeter
Tot. acid content g/l (tartaric acid):	5.72	Tot. sugar content g/l:	0.7	Fining agent:	No	Contains sulphites:	Yes

Production, Vinification technics:

The bunches are hand-picked and hand-selected. Partly destemmed, fermented with indigenous yeasts in open oak "lagares" with some extraction (pigeage). After fermentation, the wine is aged for 12-18 months (depending on the vintage) in 500-600 l used oak "pipas" and 1500 l barrels.

Origin and classification:

Bairrada DOC from Portugal.
Organic and Biodynamic Certified Estate.

Soil/Climate, etc.:

The different small plots for this wine come from 3 centenary Baga vineyards (100-140 years old) with a very strong Atlantic influence (only 15 km from the ocean). We bought these vineyards a few years ago, and they are now fully biodynamic. They benefit from the rising sun on mid-slope hills with soil composed of Lower Jurassic limestone. The soil has superb clays on the inner surface, and the higher part is much whiter and marl-rich, which slows down the vegetative cycle. This gives the wine a unique and exceptional balance!

Winemaker's Notes:

"Nossa!" Its name is spontaneously evocative 🥰. The Bairrada region, where the blue blood of the Baga grape flows, has a unique complex geological composition.

Working with biodynamic practices and inspired by the viticulture of Filipa's grandmother helped to understand us the notion of "un grand terroir" for Baga.

Serve it decanted and fresh (below 18 °C) in elegant glasses.

Total production: 4590 bottles.

Colour:

Bright intense dark cherry red colour with a ruby rim and great viscosity.

Bouquet:

The aromas are very pure dominated by violets, strawberries and subtle smokiness, a bit of spice when the wine is young. After 5 to 7 years, the aromas get more complex, extremely energetic and with good concentration.

Taste:

The wine is almost generous with an intense structure and richness in harmony with the fine and noble tannins. It is neither too rough nor too heavy, the body has an extremely silky texture and the acidity brings energy and liveliness. The aftertaste is a pure delight.

Gastronomic Accompaniments:

A great wine for gastronomy! Simply cooked high-quality meats (lamb, beef, veal, pigeon, duck, pheasant, partridge, hare, fillet of deer). We imagine also sweetbread, veal kidney and even calves liver (Venetian way with glazy onions). Strong cheeses will give a good match too (Ami de Chambertin, creamy Niza, Castelo Branco, Serpa).

Recommended further maturing (by the consumer):

Depending on the vintage, the wine can be kept for 30 to 60 years, and sometimes even longer.

Press notes:

- 15/09/2024 ● James Suckling
2015 Filipa Pato & William Wouters ● Baga Bairrada Nossa Calcário Vinhas Velhas ● 96/100

- 15/09/2024 ● James Suckling
2022 Filipa Pato & William Wouters ● Baga Bairrada Nossa Calcário Vinhas Velhas ● 95/100

- 09/12/2023 ● Jancis Robinson ● Financial Time Magazine - Jancis Robinson picks the best red wines for Christmas
2021 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga

- 30/11/2022 ● Mark Squires - Robert Parker - Wine Advocate
2019 Filipa Pato ● Bairrada Nossa Calcário Tinto Baga Vinhas Velhas ● 95/100

- 31/05/2021 ● The Wine Spectator
2018 Filipa Pato ● Bairrada Nossa Calcário Tinto Baga Vinhas Velhas ● 92/100

- 02/2021 ● Wines & Spirits ● Year's Best Northern Portugal
2018 Filipa Pato ● Bairrada Nossa Calcário Vinhas Velhas Tinto Baga

- 29/01/2021 ● Mark Squires - Robert Parker - Wine Advocate
2018 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 93/100

- 01/2021 ● Revista de Vinhos
2017 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 18/20

- 01/12/2020 ● VINUM - Magazin für Weinkultur - TOP 100 - Die besten Weine des Jahres 2020
2016 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga 2016

- 29/10/2020 ● Sarah Ahmed ● Decanter Magazine
2018 Filipa Pato & William Wouters ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 95/100

- 30/12/2019 ● Mark Squires - Robert Parker - Wine Advocate
2017 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 94+/100

- 28/02/2018 ● Mark Squires - Robert Parker - Wine Advocate
2015 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 96/100

- 03/09/2017 ● Jamie Goode - Wine Anorak ● Filipa Pato & William Wouters: Groundbreaking wines from Bairrada, Portugal
2015 Filipa Pato & William Wouters ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 93/100

- 28/08/2014 ● Mark Squires - Robert Parker - Wine Advocate
2011 Filipa Pato ● Nossa Calcário Baga ● 93/100

Press notes:

- 11/07/2014 - Sarah Ahmed - The Wine Detective ● 20 great Portuguese wines from The Wine Society
2011 *Filipa Pato* ● *Nossa Red 2011 (Bairrada)*
- 27/12/2012 ● Mark Squires - Robert Parker - Wine Advocate
2009 *Filipa Pato* ● *Nossa Calcário Baga* ● 92/100
- 28/11/2012 ● Jamie Goodie - Wine Anorak ● A Brilliant Bairrada from Portugal
2010 *Filipa Pato* ● *Nossa Calcário Baga* ● 95/100