



## 2019 Lua Cheia Reserva Especial D.O.C. Douro

Review by Mark Squires

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Rating: 89

Drink: 2022 - 2030

Cost: \$25-27

The 2019 Reserva Especial is an old-vines field blend aged for 12 months in used French oak. It comes in at 14% alcohol. In bottle a little less than two months when tasted, this still seemed pretty nice and almost ready to roll. It shows a lot better structure and more sensual texture than the Andreza this issue, while remaining just as tasty, if not more so. It's simply a more complete wine. It's not profound, but it should make a nice restaurant wine or house pour. There were 5,700 six-packs produced.