



2019 Lua Cheia em Vinhas Velhas Branco

Review by Mark Squires

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Rating: 88

Drink: 2020 - 2024

Cost: \$12-14

The 2019 Branco is a field blend from old vines, unoaked, very dry and coming in at 12.5% alcohol. This has been a consistent and overachieving value source in its youth. If you hold it for several years, you may get a different answer, to be sure, but when it is fresh and young, it certainly bursts out of the gate well. Nicely concentrated for this price level, this adds exuberant (but dry) fruit and a nice finish. It's clean, fresh and tasty. It will drink great this summer and next. I have my doubts as to how well it will hold serve thereafter, and it certainly will not reward extended cellaring. There were 13,300 six-packs produced.