



2014 Companhia Das Lezirias Rose Herdade de Catapereiro
A Proprietary Blend Dry Rose Table wine from Tejo, Portugal

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Rating: 85
Drink: 2015-2016
Cost: \$11

The 2014 Rosé Herdade de Catapereiro is a blend of 60% Merlot and 40% Syrah coming in at 13% alcohol and just 2.4 grams per liter of residual sugar (dry). Rather solid in the mid-palate, at least in its youth, this actually has an earthy hint of Syrah, a touch of herbs and a brooding demeanor just now. Fresh and complex on the finish, it can make a nice red wine substitute this summer at a nice price, but if you're looking for a slightly sweet, fruity pink, this isn't it.