



2014 Lua Cheia Em Vinhas Velhas Salsus

A Proprietary Blend Medium Dry White Table wine from Vinho Verde, Portugal

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Rating: 84

Drink: 2015-2016

Cost: \$10

The 2014 Salsus is mostly an unoaked Loureiro, with 7.5% each of Trajadura and Arinto. It comes in with just 9.5% alcohol and 10.7 grams per liter of residual sugar--over the legally dry limit, rather fruity and a bit off-dry, but not so high as to make it literally sweet. The sugar will blow off a bit as it airs (or ages in the bottle). It balances well with the acidity. Straightforward and pleasant, this has tasty fruit, rather light fizz and a refreshing style. Chill it down and drink it in warm weather when it will seem sunny and rather delicious. It will be a popular picnic wine this summer. Don't hold it much beyond that.