



QUINTA DO CRASTO

Syrah Superior 2013

DOURO, PORTUGAL

100% Syrah



International WINE REPORT

Aged in oak barrels for 16 months, this Duoro Syrah opens with aromas of smoked brisket, black olive, blueberry compote and black cherry. The wine has flavors of black cherry, mocha, black olive and suggestions of Mongolian beef. Deep and delicious, this hard to resist, terroir driven old world Syrah is a great value buy. This great wine shows the potential of this varietal in Duoro.

—OB, *International Wine Report*, Oct. 2016



Wine Spectator

A plush and juicy style, featuring plenty of rich spice notes to the cherry tart and plum pudding flavors. Offers dried mint and sage accents midpalate, with some chocolate hints on the finish. Drink now through 2019.

—Kim Marcus, *Wine Spectator*, July 31, 2016



Robert Parker WINE ADVOCATE

Bottled under the "Duriense" appellation because of the Syrah, this small-production bottling is lovely. Showing fine Syrah character but not too much game, this has a refined and elegant feel. It is perfectly balanced, too. There is just a bit of vanilla in its youth. It is very accessible right now and very appealing. Don't hesitate to dive in.

—Mark Squires, *The Wine Advocate*, April 2016

