

PASMADOS

This wine comes from the Pasmados estate. With 18 hectares of vine, it's located in the foothills of the Arrábida Mountain in the Setúbal Península, five kilometres to the west of Azeitão. In 1998 we decided to change the blend of the grape varieties, with Chardonnay giving way to Viosinho. Another change was also introduced. The Arinto and Esgana grape varieties were no longer grown on clay-limestone soils but were moved to sandy ones. In 2005 the Viognier grape variety, which has existed in our vineyards for over 40 years, was added to the blend to increase complexity. In 2008 we removed Esgana grape variety from the blend, allowing the wine to gain a greater personality. Pasmados white is one of the top white wines from José Maria da Fonseca being released only after a minimum period of two years after the harvest.

Vintage Information

TYPE OF WINE: White

VINTAGE: 2020

GRAPES: Viognier (59%) | Viosinho (22%) | Arinto (19%)

TYPE OF SOIL: Clay-Lime

WINEMAKER: Winemakers team José Maria da Fonseca

VINIFICATION: 50% in oak barrels and 50% in stainless steel

AGEING: 3 months in 2nd year French barrels with bâtonnage.

DATE OF BOTTLING: March 2022

WINE PRODUCTION: 3900 liters

AVAILABLE BOTTLES: 750 ml

STORAGE: The bottles should be laid down at a temperature of 12°C and 60% humidity.

SHELF LIFE: 15 years after bottling

SERVING SUGGESTIONS: Serve at a temperature of 10°C with fish and seafood.

ANALYSES: 12,5% Alcohol | 5,45 g/l Total Acidity | 3,52 pH

Tasting Notes

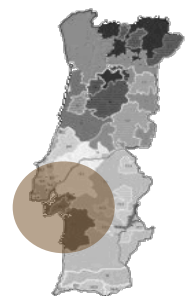
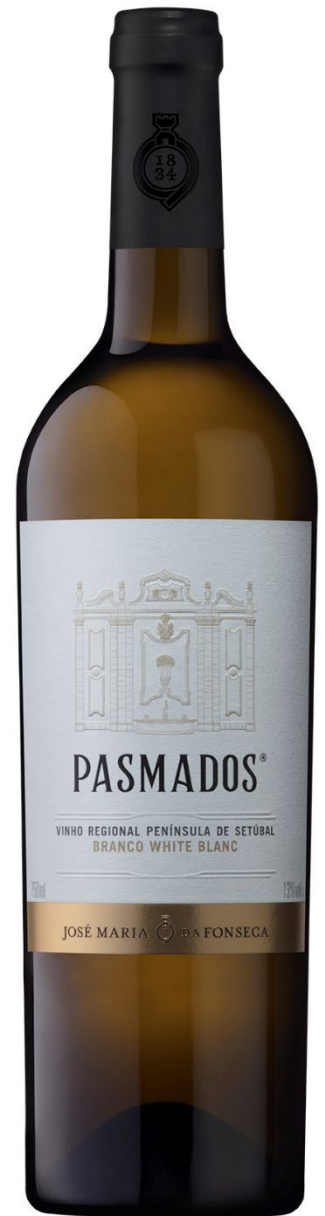
COLOR: Straw yellow with greenish reflections

AROMA: Very marked by the Viognier grape variety, white peach, apricot, some spices and wood with a subtle touch of vanilla.

PALATE: Creamy, very balanced with elegant notes of walnuts and almonds and a present but integrated acidity.

Reviews

- **2015 Vintage:** 17 pts (Vinho Grandes Escolhas)
- **2014 Vintage:** 16,5 pts "Good Buy 2020" (Revista de Vinhos)



CLASSIFICATION:

Regional Wine

REGION:

Setúbal Península