



2015 Rui Reguinga Terrenus Vinha da Serra

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| Rating | Release Price | Drink Date | Producer: Rui Reguinga |
| 92 | \$30 | 2017 - 2025 | From: Portugal , Alentejo , Portalegre |
| Reviewed by | Issue Date | Source | Color: White |
| Mark Squires | 31st Aug 2017 | 232, The Wine Advocate | Type: Table |

The 2015 Terrenus Vinha da Serra is a field blend from very old vines (100 years or so) at very high altitudes (750 meters). It was aged for eight months in 50% new French oak. This is a fine follow up to the 2014. If that had a minor flaw, it was a little too much obvious wood early on. That problem is solved here, with the wood now beautifully integrated. Perhaps this vintage just has more acidity and fruit to balance it. This has fine body and precision, a tight finish with good acidity and plenty of lift to the fruit. It is always dry and serious. If comparing to the Reserva Branco, its close competitor here, this has a little more acidity, while that has a bit more roundness, but they are different sides of the same coin. I had a minor preference for the Reserva but they are both excellent. As with the Reserva, this may age rather well, but considering the lack of track record (this is just the third vintage), let's be a bit conservative and see where we are in a few years.

Sweetness: Dry

Type: Table

Variety: Proprietary Blend