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Rute Dão
Wine

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Here is what we offer in this program; it is just a suggestion.

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Description

This 10-hour circular tour departs Porto for the Dão wine region, one of the oldest in Portugal, known for its elegant, structured wines with a strong identity linked to the granite of the surrounding mountains. The journey focuses on two unmissable landmarks of the region: Quinta do Roque and Casa da Passarella.

The route follows the A1 and then the A25, heading towards Mangualde and Gouveia, passing through mountain landscapes and vineyards nestled between the Serra da Estrela and Serra do Caramulo mountains. The first stop is at Quinta do Roque, located near Penalva do Castelo, where wines with soul are produced, respecting the terroir and typical grape varieties such as Touriga Nacional, Encruzado, and Jaen. The guided tour includes a guided tasting of current vintages and reserves.

The tour continues to Casa da Passarella, in Lagarinhos, a project with a centuries-old history and a strong connection to high-altitude vineyards. The restored building blends tradition and modernity, also reflected in the wines with an elegant and mineral profile. The tasting includes award-winning wines such as "A Descoberta" and "O Fugitivo." Lunch is served at a regional restaurant in the Seia or Gouveia area, featuring mountain dishes such as roast kid, rice with muscaros or artisanal sausages, always paired with Dão wines.

The return to Porto takes place in the late afternoon, completing a day of wine discovery in an authentic region of tradition and altitude, where each wine tells a story.

These winery visits can cost between €20 and €50 per person per tasting.



A Quinta dos Roques Mangualde

Quinta dos Roques, located in Abrunhosa do Mato, Mangualde, is a reference in the Dão region, recognized for its commitment to quality and authenticity. Founded in the 1980s, it was a pioneer in the valorization of native grape varieties and in the production of varietal wines. In granite soils and a continental climate, it produces elegant and structured reds, especially with Touriga Nacional, Alfrocheiro and Jaen, as well as mineral and balanced whites with Encruzado. The wines reflect freshness, finesse and the ability to age. The estate combines family tradition and innovation, offering tours and tastings that highlight the distinct character of Dão and its winemaking history.



Casa da Passarella Nelas

Casa da Passarella, located in the village of Lapa do Lobo, in Nelas, is a historic Dão winery founded in 1892. Combining centuries-old tradition and contemporary innovation, it has become an icon of the region for the authenticity and originality of its wines and labels. It works with grape varieties such as Touriga Nacional, Alfrocheiro, Jaen and Encruzado, producing complex, fresh wines that are deeply connected to the granite terroir of Dão. The reds are elegant and have great ageing potential, while the whites reveal minerality and sophistication. Tours include a century-old cellar, themed tastings and a strong component of wine storytelling and winemaking cultural.

Wine



Dão wines stand out for their elegance, balance and longevity, reflecting the unique characteristics of the region. Produced among mountains, in granite soils and under a moderate continental climate, they reveal great freshness and complexity. The reds, mainly from the Touriga Nacional grape variety, are intense, structured and aromatic, with excellent ageing capacity. The whites, especially Encruzado, are fine, mineral and very gastronomic. Combining tradition and innovation, Dão wines faithfully express their terroir and occupy a prominent place in Portuguese winemaking, being appreciated both in Portugal and internationally.

Region



The Dão Wine Route takes visitors through one of Portugal's oldest and most prestigious wine regions, nestled between mountains and granite valleys. With a moderate continental climate and poor soils, Dão produces elegant, structured wines with great ageing potential, especially from the Touriga Nacional and Encruzado grape varieties. In addition to the wines, the region enchants with its serene landscapes, historic towns, monasteries and authentic gastronomy. Visiting Dão is like immersing yourself in a world where tradition, nature and excellence come together, providing a rich and genuinely Portuguese sensory experience.

Route

PORTO
ANADIA
SANGALHOS
PORTO
- Aprox. 310 km
- 10h trip

Departure from Hotel
8am Estimated Arrival
6pm at Hotel

Price

Price per
person:

473€ For 1 person
249€ For 2 people
175€ For 3 people

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