

NV Emilio Hidalgo Privilegio

A Palomino Dry White Sherry wine from Spain,, Jerez, Andalucia, Spain

Review by Luis Gutierrez eRobertParker.com # 216 (Dec 2014)

Rating: 98

Drink 2014 - 2024

Cost:

The NV Privilegio is a very old Palo Cortado that has a textbook profile of old Sherry with a sweetish twist, a creamy nose of hazelnuts and a touch of varnish, marmalade and a spirity hint. It is very balanced for a really old wine. It's not easy to find such great harmony in a concentrated, extremely old wine like this one. It has a medium to full-bodied palate with some notes of balsam (mint?) and a slightly bitter flavor (Seville oranges) with a dry, chalky finish. A superb Palo Cortado. I had not yet tasted the extremely old Palo Cortado, so here it is. The ancient PX Santa Ana has been withdrawn from the market, so I will taste it when it's sold again. And looking forward to it... Importer(s): Winebow, Inc., 236 W 26th St, New York, NY 10001, (212) 255-9414, www.winebow.com.

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