

MENIN Porto

Late Bottled Vintage 2019

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DOURO ESTATES

Portugal

MENIN PORTO LATE BOTTLED VINTAGE 2019 is born from the selection of grape varieties that are planted in plots with the maximum classification for Port Wine, the "Letter A" plots. Coming from Touriga Franca, Touriga Nacional, Tinta Barroca and Tinta Amarela, the different plots can be found in exhibitions that vary between South, West and North, thus enabling wines of enormous concentration and freshness.

SPECIFICATIONS

Alcohol: 19,5%
Acidity: 5 g/dm³
pH: 3,74
Total Sulfur: 100 mg / L
Baumé: 3,5

AGEING

4 years in old oak barrels

OENOLOGY

João Rosa Alves | Tiago Alves de Sousa

GRAPE VARIETIES

50% Touriga Franca
25% Touriga Nacional
15% Tinta Roriz
10% Tinta Amarela

VINICULTURAL YEAR

The 2019 viticultural year was globally dry and subject to large fluctuations in temperatures, prompting different reactions from the many existing varieties. Very close monitoring was therefore necessary in order to integrate and respect the individual evolution of each vineyard. A demanding but fundamental job, translating into an excellent phytosanitary state and a global refinement of the quality of the year.

VINIFICATION

The grapes are transported in boxes of 18kg capacity to the cellar in order to preserve all the integrity of the bunch. After a first selection, the grapes are destemmed and a second sorting is carried out, berry-by-berry in order to eliminate dehydrated berries that could impart more overripe notes to the wine. The grapes were fermented in lagares where fermentation with indigenous yeasts takes place. Temperature control allowed regulating the fermentative kinetics in order to make it possible to carry out a more intense and prolonged extraction. Once the desirable baumé was reached, the lagar was fortified with the addition of wine brandy. After 48 hours, the liquid was separated from the masses, where a "repise" was subsequently carried out.

TASTING NOTES

MENIN PORTO LATE BOTTLED VINTAGE 2019 is a wine with a deep ruby color. On the nose it reveals blueberry jam and other forest fruits, sour cherries and black pepper, with light herbal notes. Very charming mouth and with a beautiful balance between all its different dimensions.



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