

VAN ZELLERS & Co

SINCE 1620

THE OLDEST
PORT WINE FAMILY

CRAFTED BY TIME

Time, in Port, must be the most valued ally. It is time that will concentrate its flavours and touch of mystery. Time helps to mellow down the strength of tannins, the muscle and structure of the wine, the fresh fruit, flower and earthy aromas that a young Port holds. It brings new nuances of colour with hints of gold, green and amber. The wine gains an extra freshness and a more luscious and vibrant feel. With unexpected tastes and aromas that spring with the passing of time, time is what adds that touch of surprise. That's why we value wines Crafted by Time.



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1940 SINGLE HARVEST VERY OLD TAWNY PORT

CONDITIONS

The weather conditions in the viticultural year 1940: an exceptionally dry summer, resulted in a very small crop.

GRAPE VARIETIES

Issued 100% from well over two dozen of Douro white grape varieties, this Very Old White Port ages in very old wood until bottling.

BOTTLING DATE

On demand

TASTING NOTES

Full of citrus and honey flavours, taste of white dried plums and apricots, orange peel and walnuts, ends up in a prolonged and persistent finish.

WINEMAKER

Cristiano van Zelle

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

Region: Douro

Soil: Schist

Baumé: 5,0°

pH: 3,80

Volatile Acidity: 1,52 grs/litre

Total Acidity: 5,14 grs/litre

Total SO₂: 71 mgrs/litre

Alcohol: 20,5%