



2020 Van Zellers & Co. CV Curriculum Vitae

Rating

94

Release Price

\$120

Drink Date

2024 - 2034

Producer: Van Zellers &

From: Portugal, Douro,

Color: Red

Type: Table

Sweetness: Dry

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Source

The 2020 CV Curriculum Vitae, from an old vineyard planted with mixed varieties, was released a little later than in the past. It's toasty and spicy, clean and modern, with good ripeness but without excess. It has 15.5% alcohol and a full-bodied palate with abundant tannins and spiciness. 2020 was a warm year that he compared to 1920, the first year Port was completely sweet. They had to pick the grapes earlier but still achieved that alcohol level and some creaminess in the wine. A very powerful year for CV. It's an unusual, very powerful red that somehow works. 5,873 bottles and some larger formats produced. It was bottled in March 2023.