

Quinta do Vesuvio DOC Douro



Product code	QVo6ZZRC
Grapes	Touriga Nacional
Country	PORTUGAL
ABV%	14
Case Size	3
Closure Style	Cork
Producer	Quinta do Vesuvio
Vintage	2021





Tasting Notes

"Seductively fresh and floral aromas of rose, secondary notes of clove and very discreet and well-integrated smoky flavours, show a perfect harmony between the usage of oak and the rest of the aromatic bouquet. The rich and fruit filled palate (blackberry, blueberry, black plum) and natural acidity of the wine give it a good weight and balance. Refined and well present tannins provide the imposing structure we are used to in Quinta do Vesúvio wines."

Winemaking

"We had a very dry and mild winter and spring, and by late summer the vines were in need of water to keep maturations on track. Fortunately, the virtual absence of rain from May to late August was counterbalanced by cooler summer conditions, which attenuated the lack of water. Fortunately, some rainfall in late August and ideal conditions through September, led to a balanced ripening of the various components of the grapes – reflected in the excellent balance between acidity and sugar levels. Yields were very close to average after the two very short years of 2017 and 2018. The grapes entered the winery in excellent condition with wellbalanced ripeness. Freshness and vibrancy are the signature of the 2019 wines. "