

W. & J.
GRAHAM'S
ESTABLISHED 1820
PORTO



97 Points, James Suckling, 2017
94 Points, Wine Spectator, 2016
93 Points, Robert Parker, 2015

Vintage:

The 1972 Single Harvest Tawny Port is made from the very finest wines from the Graham's vineyards, and is the result of the unique terroir of the Douro Valley and subsequent maturation in Vila Nova de Gaia, that has distinguished Graham's for almost two centuries.

Aging:

After the harvest at Quinta dos Malvedos and Quinta das Lages, the freshly fermented grape must was transported downriver to the Graham's historic 1890 Lodge in Vila Nova de Gaia for ageing. The cool maritime climate of the Atlantic coast provides the perfect condition for maturation, which in time results in the rich amber colour of Graham's exceptional 1972 Single-Harvest Tawny Port.

Winemakers:

When the Symington family acquired Graham's in 1970, the then head of wine making, Peter Symington selected the first single harvest to be aged in old wooden casks. Accompanying the maturation of the 1972 Single Harvest Port throughout his career, he passed it on to his son when he retired in 2009.

Charles Symington, current head winemaker, tasted each of the casks handed down to him by his father and selected nine for bottling. Each containing 712 bottles, this individually numbered limited release of 1972 Port is testament to the knowledge and experience passed down from father to son.

Tasting Note:

A beautiful golden colour, with an intense ripe aroma of dried fruits and orange peel combined with cherry fruit and toasted aromas from more than 40 years of wood ageing, create tremendous complexity in this many layered wine. The flavour fills the whole palate with huge volume and power developing into an exceptionally long, fresh and honey-sweet finish.

Wine Specification:

ABV: 20%
Total Acidity: 5.7g/L
(tartaric acid)
Baumé: 4.7

Limited Edition - 9 Casks

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