



## AWESOME

### Winemaking Notes

The 2019 growing season was unique in Washington as late winter weather left snow in the vineyard in February into March, delaying pruning and other vineyard work. This contributed to greater soil moisture, increased canopy growth and slightly delayed bud break and bloom. Overall, temperatures across the 2019 growing season were slightly above 20-year averages but were nowhere near as warm as the years that preceded it. A minor frost event at the end of September was followed by a series of larger, statewide frosts and freezes in early to mid-October. For some growers, especially for sites carrying higher tonnages, there was a large amount of fruit still on the vine. Although growers worked feverishly to bring it in, some fruit was left unpicked due to concerns about frost damage. As a result, tonnage was down from recent years.

### Tasting Notes

The 2019 Awesome has a defined blackcurrant and cocoa aroma on the nose. You'll find a delicious blend of blackberry, vanilla and nutmeg on the palate, followed by a splash of Awesome.

## Columbia Valley 2019

### BLEND

83% Cabernet Sauvignon  
17% Malbec

### BARREL

100% French Oak, 83% New

### PRODUCTION

145 Cases

FERMENTATION: Temperature controlled, <68 degrees, 10-12 days

### HARVEST, BOTTLING, RELEASE

Harvest 10/23/2019

Bottled 06/16/2021

Release 12/01/2021

### CHEMISTRY

Alc. 14.8%, ±pH 3.39, ±TA .37 g/100ml

### APPELLATION

Columbia Valley

### VINEYARDS

Gamache, Rosebud & E & E Shaw Vineyards

Founded in 2010 by Mike and Ryan Seal, Sigillo Cellars is a small boutique winery specializing in small lots of handcrafted wines made from fruit sourced from some of the premier vineyards in the best grape growing areas in Washington State.