



AWESOME

Winemaking Notes

2020 was a relatively warm year for Washington with a significantly smaller crop than average. Bud break began in mid-April, well aligned with historical averages. Late July and early August saw some heat spikes, but, overall, it was a fairly moderate, even summer. Harvest began the third week of August, about a week ahead of long-term averages but well aligned with many recent years. Significant wildfire smoke came in from Oregon during the second week of September, pausing harvest for nearly 10 days. October temperatures were above average before a freeze event. Overall, yield was down substantially in 2020. While the crop was smaller, the combination of smaller berries and extended hang time is traditionally a recipe for high quality wines in Washington. Many growers and winemakers were excited with the result, noting the dark color of the reds.

Tasting Notes

The 2020 Awesome is bold with flavors of dark cherry, blackcurrant and cocoa with a hint of baking spices and a splash of Awesome!

Columbia Valley 2020

BLEND

86% Cabernet Sauvignon
14% Malbec

BARREL

100% French Oak, 83% New

PRODUCTION

170 Cases

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

HARVEST, BOTTLING, RELEASE

Harvest 10/12/2020

Bottled 5/27/2022

Release 12/16/2022

CHEMISTRY

Alc. 14.6%, ±pH 3.61, ±TA .43 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.

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