



Quinta Do Vallado Vintage 'Adelaide' Port

“Highlights”

Adelaide

- 2015**
- **93-95 – WINE ADVOCATE**, *August 2017*
“...this is a vintage that seems to play to its strengths—emphasizing freshness, purity of fruit and elegance. That makes this just gorgeous and bursting with flavor. The finish is laced with raspberries and blackberries. For all that onslaught of flavor, it is very well structured...”
 - **93 – WINE ENTHUSIAST**, *October 2017*
“This wine has a powerful, dense structure that balances the ripe, jammy fruit and solid tannins. It is full of juicy acidity and the potential of delicious black-plum fruitiness. The wine is in a dry style, concentrated and needing time.”
 - **95 – WINE SPECTATOR**, *Aug. 23, 2017*
“Richly layered, with fig, boysenberry and blackberry paste flavors jockeying for position while Christmas pudding, dark chocolate and Black forest cake notes add an exotic edge through the finish.”
 - **94 – WINE & SPIRITS**, *December 2017 'Collector's Edition'*
“This is based on fruit from an old-vine mixed planting farmed by Vallado’s team in the Rio Torto; it’s blended with touriga nacional grown at the quinta, in the hills above the Rio Corgo. The combination is superconcentrated, with meaty fruit and powerful bitter-chocolate tannins, revealing the freshness and succulence of that old-vine fruit as it opens with air. It’s a dramatic wine, suited to long aging, and one of the best vintages of Adelaide we’ve tasted.”
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- 2014**
- **94 – WINE ENTHUSIAST**, *May 2017*
 - **92 – WINE ADVOCATE**, *Nov. 16, 2017*
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- 2012**
- **93 – WINE SPECTATOR**, *Feb. 28, 2015*
 - **92 – WINE ENTHUSIAST**, *April 1, 2015*
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- 2011**
- **96 – ‘Hot Wine’ – WINE SPECTATOR**, *Feb. 28, 2014*
 - **95 – WINE ENTHUSIAST**, *November 2013*
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- 2009**
- **91 – WINE SPECTATOR**, *Apr. 30, 2011*

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