DOW'S PORT

Reviews & Accolades

20 YEAR OLD

NEW ZEALAND INTERNATIONAL WINE SHOW 2019

October 2019

Gold Medal

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September 2018

Gold Medal

WINE SPECTATOR

James Molesworth, June 2018

93 Points

Juicy and lively in feel, with flan, date, persimmon and caramel notes weaving around each other, backed by a racy bitter almond accent on the finish. There's lots to like here.

INTERNATIONAL WINE CHALLENGE

May 2018

Silver Medal & 92 Points

Fresh almond and apricot marmalade. Hint of sweet, smokey vanilla. Lovely flow of flavour.

INTERNATIONAL WINE CHALLENGE

2016

Silver Medal

High toned and energetic with sweet spice, ginger and dried apricot.

DECANTER MAGAZINE

May 2013

17.5 / 20 Points

Pale to mid-deep tawny/mahogany colour. A rather 'silent' nose compared to some in this tasting but obviously well developed. Thick-cut traditional marmalade character, rich and spicy mid-palate yet made in a dryish house style with gentle spicy length. Rich, complex and very satisfying.

WINE ENTHUSIAST

March 2008

91 Points

Soft in texture yet mouthcoating in its intensity, this is a honeyed, nutty wine filled with dried fruit, toffee and almond butter aromas and flavors. Like all tawnies, it won't improve with bottle age, so drink this while your young vintage Ports hog the cellar space.