

## TAYLOR'S Single Harvest 1961 Port 1961



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1961

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Category: WINE

Style: FORTIFIED/APERITIFS

Variety: PORT

Region: DOURO VALLEY

Vintage: 1961

Volume: 750ml

**Vineyard:** For many Taylor's is the archetypal Port house and its

wines the quintessential Ports. Family managed since its foundation in 1692, it has remained entirely dedicated to quality Port production throughout its history. Taylor's

owns three great vineyards in the Douro.

Vinification: Quinta de Vargellas, Quinta de Terra Feita and Quinta do

Junco. All are categorised grade A - the highest possible rating. These three iconic properties, each occupying a distinct geographic location and with their own unique character, are the cornerstone of the company's success and the main source of its unique and inimitable house

style.

**Appearance:** Core of walnut brown surrounded by a broad rim of pale

gold with olive highlights

**Bouquet:** owerful nose of extraordinary complexity and opulence,

revealing multiple nuances and dimensions of aroma. First to emerge is a mellow redolence of molasses, dried fig and sultana, mingling with nutty marzipan aromas. As the wine opens up, scents of cedarwood and dried tobacco leaf appear, together with subtle spicy notes of black pepper and cardamom and a fleeting fresh hint of

citrus.

Palate: All this is enveloped in an powerful aura of oaky vanilla

aroma, the legacy of decades of ageing in cask. In the mouth the wine is dense, round and concentrated, with a thick velvety texture, quite rich and sweet on the mid palate but then lifted by a burst of fresh acidity on the finish, which is crammed with lingering flavours of butterscotch, almond, orange marmalade and dried fruit.

A beautifully balanced wine.

**Technical Analysis:** 

Alcohol: 20.00% Packaging: 1 x 750ml

**Hancocks Product**: 79208