



COSENTINO

THE WINERY

2017 CABERNET SAUVIGNON NAPA VALLEY

COMPOSITION

92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Petit Verdot

TASTING NOTES

The nose on this Cabernet Sauvignon is dense with ripe with aromas of blackberry, red cherry and a hint of savory spice. The palate is layered with flavors of black plum, vanilla and clove. The well-integrated oak influence lends flavors of baking spice and vanilla while the clove and velvety tannins create a lively textural experience on the palate and leave a lasting impression on the lengthy finish.

WINEMAKING NOTES

The 2017 growing season was a bit of a roller-coaster with heavy winter rains leading to vigorous vine growth in spring. Bloom came early, in parallel with an eclectic range of springtime temperatures. Moderate early summer temperatures gave way to several heat waves throughout the summer and into fall, heightening the rate of ripening and flavor development in the grapes, and ushering in a slightly early harvest.

WINEMAKING INFORMATION

VINEYARD DETAILS: Sourced from vineyards in the Rutherford and Pope Valley AVAs of Napa Valley

OAK AGING: 20 months in French oak, 40% new

ALCOHOL: 14.5% | **pH:** 3.60 | **TA:** 6.8 g/L | **Residual Sugar:** .7 g/L

PRODUCTION: 642 cases