



COSENTINO

THE WINERY

2017 RESERVE CABERNET SAUVIGNON NAPA VALLEY

COMPOSITION

98% Cabernet Sauvignon, 1% Petit Verdot, 1% Merlot

TASTING NOTES

Hedonistic aromas of blueberry and savory hints of tobacco waft from the glass of this well-integrated wine. The palate is laden with black cherry and plum flavors with accents of clove and cedar. Bold tannins afford this wine a firm finish that is both enjoyable now, and worthy of cellaring away for several years.

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: The Cabernet Sauvignon for this blend was sourced from the eastern side of Rutherford, while the Merlot hailed from Yountville and the Petit Verdot from Pope Valley areas of the Napa Valley.

OAK AGING: 20 months in 100% French oak, 45% new

ALCOHOL: 15% | **pH:** 3.63 | **TA:** 6.8 g/L | **Residual Sugar:** 1.3 g/L

PRODUCTION: 238 cases