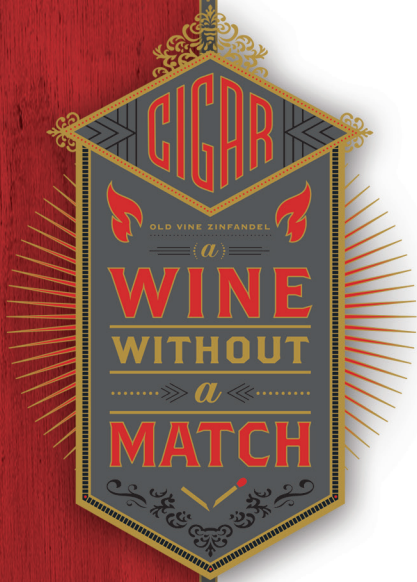


# CIGAR BOURBON BARREL-AGED CABERNET SAUVIGNON

2017



## BACKGROUND

When we say Cigar is a wine without a match, we mean there's no other wine like this big, bold Bourbon Barrel-Aged Cabernet Sauvignon designed with eye-catching packaging and a unique label. It is a powerful Cab that exudes confidence and elegance while balancing rich, ripe fruit. Cigar Bourbon Barrel-Aged Cabernet Sauvignon is the perfect wine for a steak dinner, BBQ or just a Tuesday night out with the guys.

## APPELLATION

California

## WINEMAKING

2017 was an "ideal growing season"; not too many heat spikes — just a long, really warm and steady season for most of the state.

## TASTING NOTES

Redolent with big black berry fruit and a good combo of French oak along with the toasty vanilla that comes from the bourbon barrel. Balanced acidity and a lush finish.

## TECHNICAL DATA

**Cooperage:** Between 9 to 12 months of a mixture of French oak and then is finished with 3 months in barrels which were previously filled with bourbon that aged anywhere between 5 to 8 years.

**Alcohol:** 14.4%

**TA:** 5.6 g/L

**pH:** 3.83

