



B.R.COHN
WINERY & OLIVE OIL COMPANY

2016
CABERNET SAUVIGNON
SONOMA VALLEY
OLIVE HILL ESTATE

Vineyard

This Cabernet is sustainably farmed and produced from a blend of our best hillside blocks on Olive Hill Estate. Located between the Mayacamas Mountains and Sonoma Mountain, B.R. Cohn Olive Hill Estate Vineyards has a micro-climate well suited for growing Cabernet Sauvignon. Natural underground hot springs help prevent frost and volcanic soil ensures low vigor, low yield and small concentrated berries.

Winemaking

All small lot fermentations: Carefully hand sorted in the vineyard, destemmed and crushed into closed top fermenters. Cold soaking 4 days prior to fermentation then fermented on skins for 10 days, pressed off and allowed to go through 100% natural malolactic fermentation in barrel. Free run and light press only. Aging: 18-22 months in 45% new and 55% 1 & 2 year old French oak. Barrels are 3 year air-dried and tight grain only: Taransaud, Sylvain, Marques, Alain Fouquet Margaux and Seguin Moreau Icon.

Tasting Notes

A ripe and masculine Cabernet Sauvignon, with generous amounts of black fruit, cassis and espresso with dark earthy undertones of forest floor and briar. An enticing bouquet of cigar box, cloves and cedar all wrapped with subtle hints of mocha and anise leading to a rich palate of warm caramel, complex yet firm tannins and a long lasting finish.

Pairing Suggestions

Fantastic paired with grilled rib-eye with a black peppercorn and sage rub, tandoori lamb and spiced mango chutney, mesquite grilled pork chop, or Italian sausage lasagna with mozzarella and aged Parmesan. Also a great wine with an aged cheddar or gouda.

Technical Data

Average		
Harvest Brix: 24.8	TA: 0.94 g/100 mL	
Blend: 93% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3.8% Malbec, 1.3% Merlot and 1.2% Petit Verdot	pH: 3.87	
	RS: 1.64	
Alcohol: 13.75%	UPC: 7 40216 11206 6	
	Case Production: 1,200	

B.R. Cohn Winery

Just an hour's drive from San Francisco, B.R. Cohn Winery is a 70-acre multifaceted estate nestled between the Mayacamas Mountain Range and Sonoma Mountain in the heart of Sonoma Valley. With a winemaking history dating to the 1860s, the property encompasses the 55-acre Olive Hill Estate Vineyard, named for the 500 160-year-old Picholine olive trees on the property. The vineyard is planted primarily to Cabernet Sauvignon and benefits from a unique confluence of geological and climatic factors that keep its soils warm, its vines frost-free and its grapes ripe and flavor-packed. These advantages explain why B.R. Cohn is among Sonoma Valley's few producers of world-class, single-vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon.

