

2016 Cabernet Sauvignon

DRY CREEK VALLEY • SONOMA COUNTY

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750 ML

ALC. 15.8% BY VOL. CONTAINS SULFITES

2016 CABERNET SAUVIGNON, ESTATE GROWN

Winemaker: David Mounts

Varietal Composition: 88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Cabernet

Franc, 6% Petite Verdot

Appellation: Dry Creek Valley, Sonoma County

Vineyards: Clone 337 Cabernet Sauvignon planted 2007, "See"

Clone planted in 1990.

Harvest date: September 21, 2016

Brix at harvest: average 27

Total Acidity: 5.4 g/1

pH: 3.90

Alcohol: 15.8%

Cases produced: 555

Fermentation and aging: Whole berry destemming, 4 - 5 day cold soak, punch downs 3 times per day. Native yeast fermentation in small open top one ton fermenters. Total skin contact 24 days. Barrel aged 20 months in 60% new French oak.

Tasting notes: Displays savory aromas of leather, black cherry compote, and crème de cassis. It is full bodied, complex, and leads with blue & black fruit flavors with a hint of espresso. Long finish, noticeable tannin.

Aging potential: 8 to 12 years

