

# **MERLOT**

**APPELLATION** Sonoma Valley, CA

**ANALYSIS** 0.51 total acid

3.60 PH

13.5% alcohol, by volume

**BLEND** 79% Merlot

15% Petite Sirah 5% Zinfandel 1% Barbera

#### **ORIGIN**

Source for our Merlot were selected from among the best coastal growing regions in California's Sacramento River Delta Region. In these areas, warm sunny days provide optimum grape ripening, while Pacific Ocean fog create cool nights and maintain the acidity in the grapes, resulting in a balanced Merlot full of flavor.

#### **OAK PROFILE**

Aged 6 months in French Oak barrels.

## DESCRIPTION

Our Merlot has a wonderful hue of red, plenty of fullness and structure, while retaining Merlot's signature softness on the palate. We added a bit of Petite Sirah for deep rich color a dash of Zinfandel for jammy fruit flavors. This Merlot is a rich garnet color, with flavors of black cherries, plums, and figs, with a soft, smooth finish. With its balanced acidity and ripe fruit flavors, this wine is an easy match with a wide range of main courses.

## One Leaf WITH

- Meats
- Pasta
- Vegetarian Dishes

## **ACCOLADES**

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