



Big Smooth

2018 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

BIG SMOOTH DELIVERS A DEEP, DARK, AND LUSCIOUS GLASS OF WINE, LOADED WITH BIG FRUIT FLAVORS AND A SMOOTH, LASTING FINISH. ADORNED IN A UNIQUE PACKAGE WITH BRIGHT, EYE-CATCHING COLOR AND A VELVETY SMOOTH LABEL THAT ENCOURAGES TOUCH AND SIP!

TASTING NOTES

THIS BIG SMOOTH CABERNET SAUVIGNON IS BOLD AND RICH WITH AROMAS OF RIPE BOYSENBERRY FRUIT, LUSCIOUS BERRY JAM, CASSIS, AND MOCHA NOTES. THIS IS A BIG, PLUSH WINE WITH LAYERS OF INVITING FRUIT FLAVORS AND SPICE COMPLEXITY. THE USE OF OAK UNDERPINS A PLEASING TOASTY CHARACTER WHILE SHOWCASING A SMOOTH TEXTURE. THIS IS A POWERFUL WINE WITH INTENSE FLAVORS AND WELL-INTEGRATED, SMOOTH TANNINS WHICH LEAD TO FLAVORFUL AND LONG FINISH.

WINEMAKING

OUR 2018 BIG SMOOTH CABERNET SAUVIGNON IS FOUNDED IN A STEADFAST RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE WINEMAKING TEAM AND OUR GROWER PARTNERS IN LODI, CA. THE MAJORITY OF FRUIT FOR THIS WINE COMES FROM ONE OF OUR FAVORITE, LONG TIME PARTNERS AT ALABAMA RANCH. CABERNET SAUVIGNON IS THE BACKBONE OF THIS WINE GIVING IT VARIETAL CORRECTNESS WITH BIG, BOLD, DEEPLY FLAVORED FRUIT ALONG WITH NUANCE DRIED HERB AND MINTY SPICE NOTES. IN ADDITION TO CABERNET SAUVIGNON A SMALL AMOUNT OF PETITE SIRAH AND TANNAT IS ADDED TO THE FINAL BLEND LENDING COMPLEX SPICE NOTES AND GIVING THE WINE A BEAUTIFULLY DENSE, INKY PURPLE COLOR.

PRODUCTION NOTES

BLEND	82% CABERNET SAUVIGNON, 12% PETITE SIRAH, 6% TANNAT
APPELLATION	LODI, CALIFORNIA
VINTAGE	2018
SPECIFICATIONS	PH: 3.57 TA: 6.2 G/L ABV: 14.5%
AGING	12 MONTHS IN AMERICAN & FRENCH OAK (30% NEW)
