

# CLOISONNÉ

## VARIETAL/APPELLATION

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Zinfandel, Mendocino County

## TASTING NOTES

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Bright purple hues in the glass with aromas of spicy red and dark berry and a rich mid palate. The finish is balanced with pepper, spice, red fruit and a caramel note. Aged for 19 months using a combination of American and French oak to create a distinctive wine from southern Mendocino County.

## VINTAGE NOTES

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We had an early harvest in California with modest yields. However, we received the warmth and sunlight to create deep and rich flavors for our Zinfandel which was grown in the heart of Mendocino County. The tremendous vintage allowed us to create complex character and not just raw power in this wine.

## PAIRING SUGGESTIONS

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The fruit is very prominent in this wine and it begs for richer foods. This wine pairs well with grilled meats, stews, or can be enjoyed on its own.

## WINEMAKING NOTES

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- 95% Zinfandel, 5% Petite Sirah
- Fermented in small 4 ton jacketed tanks
- Aged for 19 months in American and French oak, 20% new
- Bottled: April 30, 2018

## CASES PRODUCED

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1,216



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