

2005 Cabernet Sauvignon



Vintage/ harvest	October 17th 2005
Varietal composition	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Aging	18 months in primarily new barrels
Brix	24.9
TA	0.65
PH	3.72
Alcohol	13.9%
Awards	Northwest Wine Summit: Bronze
Wine makers notes	<p><i>Like the Barbera the Cabernet Sauvignon is a late ripener. Fortunately our Cabernet is planted on a steep south facing slope providing great sun exposure late into the fall. We cold soak the must for three days followed by two weeks of maceration and warm fermentation. The Cabernet also gets gentle pressing and lots of new oak.</i></p> <p><i>Ruddy brick colors fill the glass, next aromas of cedar and bing cherry entice your nose, ending in a satisfying, full bodied, and flinty mouthfeel. Nice tannin structure, subtle black pepper notes, and a beautiful lingering finish.</i></p>



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