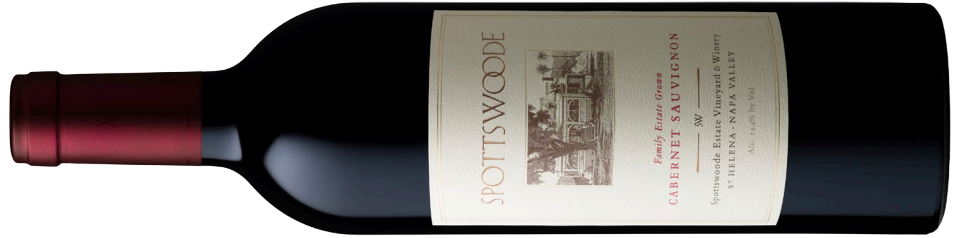




SPOTTSWOODE ESTATE
2015 CABERNET SAUVIGNON
CALIFORNIA, USA

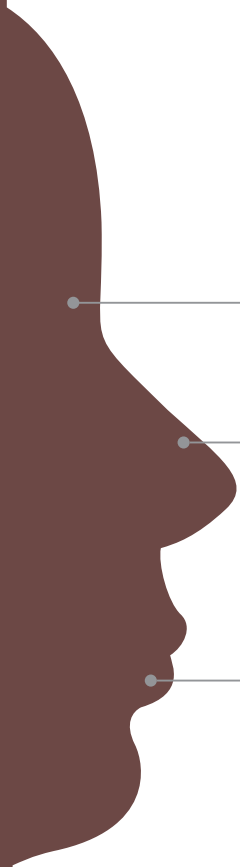


ALCOHOL
14.4%

VARIETY
90% Cabernet Sauvignon,
7% Cabernet Franc, 3% Petit Verdot

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Colour Notes

Opaque deep purple.

Aroma Notes

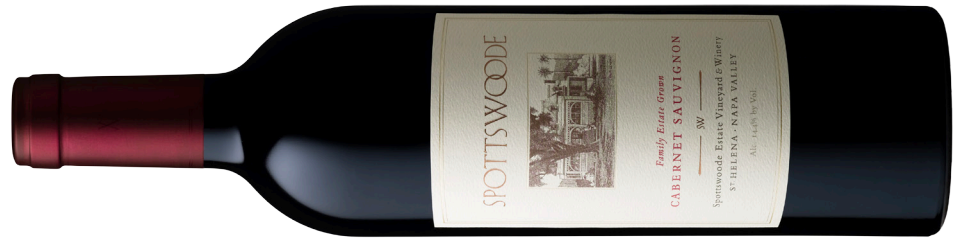
Lifted and perfumey. An enticing potpourri of bakery aromas—chocolate-covered cherries, caramel, spice, coffee bean, boysenberry cream, black cherry, vanilla, crème brûlée, with hints of bay leaf and tobacco, and wonderful underlying minerality.

Palate Notes

Voluptuous, with a great deal of youthful intensity, demonstrating primary blue and black fruit characters. Amazing balance, long finish, structured tannins. Built for aging.



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100 POINTS

The deep purple-black colored 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon has a beautiful nose of dried roses, lavender and Chinese five spice over a core of warm blackcurrants, kirsch and wild blueberries, plus wafts of fallen leaves and dusty earth. The medium to full-bodied palate features the most amazing intensity of perfumed red, black and blue fruit flavors supported by exquisitely fine-grained tannins and seamless freshness, finishing with epic length and depth. Truly stunning.

Antonio Galloni's Vinous

96+ POINTS

The 2015 Cabernet Sauvignon possesses off the charts ripeness as well as a level of exoticism that recalls the 2010. An infusion of dark red cherry, plum, white flowers, leather, tobacco and menthol accompany this super-expressive, sumptuous Cabernet Sauvignon. Violet, licorice and a host of spiced nuances develop with time in the glass. In 2015, Spottswode's Cabernet is decidedly luscious and flamboyant, but I would give it a few years to shed some baby fat. There is plenty to look forward to.

Maturity

2020

2040

James Suckling

95 POINTS

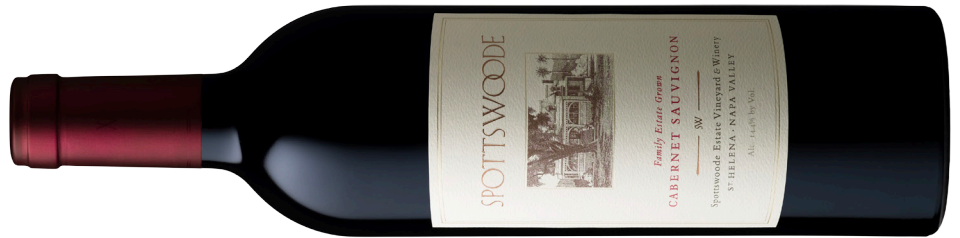
Glorious aromas of blackcurrant, sage and blackberry. Stone undertones. Full body, round and silky with a focused and bright finish of dark berry and mint. Goes on for minutes. Such finesse and balance. Coolness.

Maturity

2020

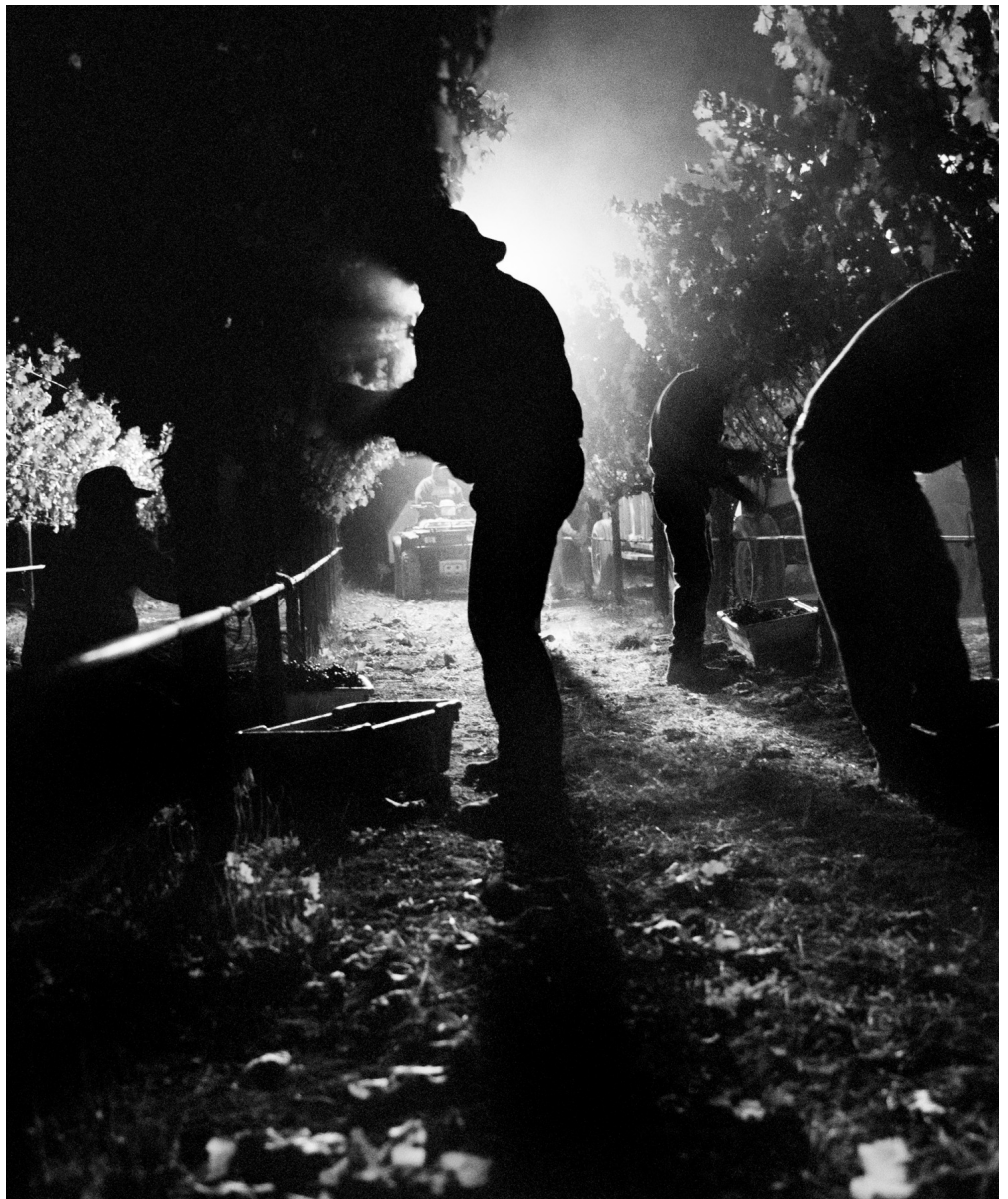


PRODUCTION OF
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MATURATION

Aged 20 months in French oak barrels (new 60%)



THE SPOTTSWOODE ESTATE NIGHT HARVEST
IMAGE: SPOTTSWOODE



THE LAND
SPOTTSWODE ESTATE
2015 CABERNET SAUVIGNON



United States
California,
Napa Valley,
Estate Vineyard

VITICULTURE

Organic

NO. OF HECTARES

16.2 ha

SOIL TYPE

Alluvial clay loam from the Sulphur Creek fan.

INTERROW REGIME

A modified trellis system with tighter vine spacing.