



CRESCERE

## Estate Proprietary Red Blend 2017

### Notes:

Deep ruby color, spicy nose with notes of cassis, ripe raspberries, oak spices like nutmeg and a hint of coffee beans. The palate is full-bodied and vibrant with sweet tannins, and dark fruits like blackberry and black currant. Beautiful integration of the new French oak adds another layer of spices and sweetness. The excellent tannin structure from the hillside vineyards and the acidity profile will allow the wine to age and evolve over the next decade or two.

### Reviews:

'Sports a deep ruby/purple color as well as lots of ripe black raspberry and cassis fruit interwoven with beautiful notes of bouquet garni, chocolate, iron, and tobacco. . . has sweet tannins, remarkable depth of fruit, and a great finish. . . plenty of upfront charm yet the depth and structure to evolve for two decades.'

[95 Points - Jeb Dunnuck](#)

### Technical Information:

64% Cabernet Sauvignon (clone 7), 20% Merlot, 14% Syrah (clone 1), 2% Petit Verdot  
Harvested and sorted by hand, then processed through an optical sorter  
Cabernet was fermented in concrete fermenters, Syrah in open top stainless steel, Merlot and Petit Verdot in standard stainless steel tanks  
Three day cold soak  
Fermented at low temperature for 15 days  
Extended maceration for 10-20 days  
Pressed into French oak barrels, 70% new  
Aged for 22 months without racking  
Bottled late July 2019, lightly filtered

Alc. 14.5%

TA: 6.3

pH: 3.95

*Eight barrels produced*

*202 Cases produced*