

Decoy California Cabernet Sauvignon

COUNTRY

United States

REGION

California

GRAPE

86% Cabernet Sauvignon,
14% Merlot

VINTAGE

2019

ABOUT THE DOMAINE

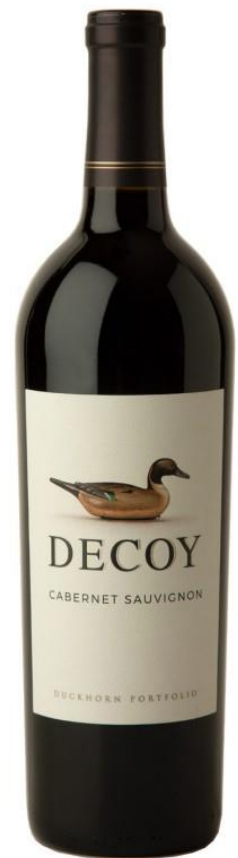
Established in 1985, Decoy is recognized for its commitment to producing attractively priced wines from exceptional vineyard sources, including Decoy's own Ridgeline and Brownell Estate vineyards in the Alexander Valley. Over the years, the Decoy lineup has grown to include a Sonoma County appellation designated Red Blend, Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, Zinfandel, Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Sauvignon Blanc, as well as a California Rosé. The winemaking program at Decoy is guided by Winemaker Dana Epperson, who has established expertise working with multiple grape varieties throughout her career.

WINEMAKING

Throughout California, the 2019 growing season provided picture-perfect growing conditions. Following a cool, wet winter and spring, summer brought perfectly temperate weather that created exceptional flavour development in the grapes. Warm weather during harvest ensured ideal ripeness, resulting in lush and flavourful reds with deep colours and lovely intensity. Aged in 35% New French Oak for 12 months.

TASTING NOTES

From its aromas of vibrant red and blue fruit to its silky tannins and balanced acidity, this is a lush and alluring Cabernet Sauvignon. On the palate, rich flavours of raspberry, ripe plum and blueberry carry the wine to a long, luxurious finish, with nuanced hints of oak and sweet baking spices.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol by volume
13.9%

Acidity
0.62g/100ml

pH
3.65