

Decoy Limited Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon

COUNTRY

United States

REGION

California

GRAPE

92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8%
Merlot

VINTAGE

2019

ABOUT THE DOMAINE

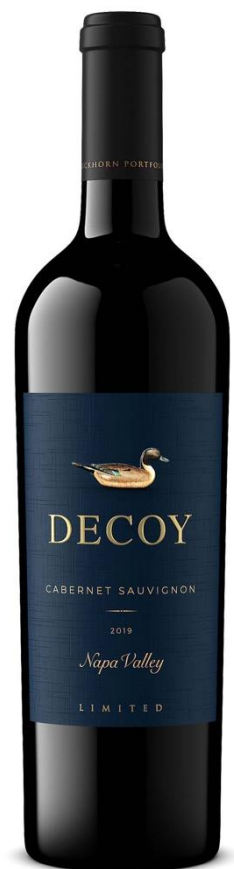
Established in 1985, Decoy is recognized for its commitment to producing attractively priced wines from exceptional vineyard sources, including Decoy's own Ridgeline and Brownell Estate vineyards in the Alexander Valley. Over the years, the Decoy lineup has grown to include a Sonoma County appellation 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

2019 brought another exceptional vintage to Napa Valley, resulting in wines with alluring polish and poise! The season began with a wet winter followed by a mild spring. While this led to a slightly later-than-normal start to the season, ideal summer weather with no significant heat spikes ensured ideal flavour development, yielding refined reds with elegant tannins, enticing aromatics and beautiful fruit flavours. Aged in French oak barrels for 14 months, 40% new French oak.

TASTING NOTES

Elegantly structured and impeccably balanced, this gorgeous Cabernet Sauvignon displays voluptuous dark fruit aromas of blackberry and black cherry, with hints of lavender and rustic savoury spice. The rich berry notes are echoed on the palate, where silky, fine-grained tannins and enlivening acidity carry the flavours to a lush, lingering finish.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol by volume
14.5%

Acidity
0.60 g/100 ml

pH
3.70