

## **Decoy Limited Napa Valley Red Blend**

COUNTRY REGION GRAPE VINTAGE

United States California 43% Merlot, 25% Zinfandel, 24% 2018

Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Tempranillo

## 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

Decoy's pinnacle red blend, this bold and luxurious wine combines the finest Napa Valley Merlot, Zinfandel, Cabernet Sauvignon and Tempranillo to create an alluring and complex wine. This wine has been aged for 14 months in 40% new French oak.

## **TASTING NOTES**

On the palate, this wine has velvety tannins which accentuate the generous fruit, with gorgeous flavours of black raspberry, cherry, cassis, briary spice and sweet French oak lingering on the long, delectable finish.



**TECHNICAL NOTES** 

Alcohol by volume 14.5%

**Acidity** 0.59 g/100 ml

**pH** 3.74