

VINEYARD

RESERVE

2021 PETIT VERDOT

LIVERMORE VALLEY

ALC. 13.2% | TA 5.7 | PH 3.70 | CASES 328

TASTING NOTE

This Petit Verdot has it all—intense inky hues, complex notes of violet, blackcurrant, and wild, brambly blackberry fruit. It continues to open to baking spices, cherry, and cinnamon. This wine dances on the palate and deserves to be center stage.

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Planted along the southern bank of the Arroyo Mocho Creek, our Ranch Creek Vineyard has well-drained gravelly silt loam derived from river sediments. Here, the vines are naturally stressed from the gravelly loam that encourages deep root growth resulting in complex flavor development in the fruit. The vineyard's north-south orientation allows the vines to savor hours of warm sunshine during the long growing season as well as the cooling evening breezes from the San Francisco Bay.

VINTAGE

Minimal spring rainfall produced drought conditions thus impacting berry size and lowering the overall weight of the harvest. These small, more concentrated berries had ideal weather throughout the season producing an outstanding vintage full of bright fruit flavors and deep color.

