

Hudson Phoenix Red Blend

THE FACTS

COUNTRY: USA - CA

REGION: Napa County

APPELLATION: Carneros - Napa

CEPAGE: 84% Merlot, 13% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Cabernet Franc

WINEMAKING: The fruit was picked separately by hand at night, hand-sorted, destemmed and each lot fermented individually utilizing native yeast. The wine was barreled down to 60% new Sylvain, Taransaud, Darnajou, Francois Freres, and Atelier oak barrels. It was bottled unfiltered and unfinned after 23 months of aging.

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME: 14.7%

AGING: 23 months in French oak

THE STORY

We grow for taste and diversity; growing only delicious foods utilizing ethical, responsible farming practices honed throughout our thirty-year stewardship of this land. We recognize the importance of our relationships and responsibilities to our staff, our land, and our community; understanding fully that each decision we make at Hudson Ranch has social consequences and environmental impacts. Hudson Ranch and Vineyards is the daily, living embodiment of our dedication and commitment to the hard work of growing the highest quality foods and wines made with the highest level of intent.

THE ADJECTIVES

OVERALL: Bold & lively

AROMAS / FLAVORS: Red currant, black cherry, savory spices

MOUTHFEEL: Harmonious and plush

THE SELLING POINTS

Powerful Bordeaux-inspired red

PAIRINGS: Seared steak, grilled mushrooms, or a robust Gorgonzola

