



ITALICS

**2015 SIXTEEN APPELLATIONS
NAPA VALLEY**



*The best wines are
a revelation of place.
As winegrowers,
our charge is to draw your
attention to their virtues.
To italicize them.*

Composition

63% Cabernet Sauvignon, 33% Merlot,
4% Cabernet Franc

Vineyards

Some of the notable vineyards used for this year's blend include: Robert Keenan, Spring Mountain District; Blackbird, Oak Knoll District; Annapurna, Stag's Leap District; and Constant, Diamond Mountain District

Fermentation

25% in new French oak, 75% stainless steel vessels.

Aging

22 months in French oak barrels, 60% new, 40% neutral

Alcohol

14.7%

Production

798

Tasting Notes

The 2015 Sixteen is a rich and supple example of our signature blend. Fruit forward flavor profile with hints currants and rhubarb to round out the mid pallet. Each Appellation is vinified and aged separately. The components are brought together before bottling in a perfect marriage of all Sixteen Appellations. Enjoy some now but hold on to a few bottles to see how this beauty evolves over time.