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Heitz Cellar

NAPA VALLEY

2017 LOT C-91 CABERNET SAUVIGNON



The origin of Lot C-91 began in the fall of 1969 when Joe Heitz created this one-off Cuvee, which was very typical in those days, as a more premium version of his already iconic Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon bottling. Joe envisioned the Lot C-91 as a more significant step up in pedigree from the Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon, with a high quality of fruit sourcing, coming exclusively from the sought-after Single-Vineyards of Heitz Cellar. Lot C-91 is the culmination of 50 years of tireless effort, trial and error, and the continual desire to make a unique expression of the heralded vineyards of Heitz Cellar. We are honored to resurrect this Cuvee in honor of Joe Heitz.

VINTAGE NOTES

The result of a warm and concentrated growing season, the richness and depth in complexity of the 2017 Lot C-91 reflect what mother nature provided in that vintage. The fruit from our prize single vineyards was harvested between September 15th and October 5th and blended only after each parcel had the opportunity to show its true potential, allowing our winemaker to select only the most expressive barrels to make the final cuvee. Made in the tradition that Joe Heitz started with the premiere release of Lot C-91 in 1969, the 2017 encompasses the opportunity for exploration that we cherish in blending this coveted wine.

TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

Vineyard Details

Sourced from the Single-Vineyards of Oakville, Rutherford, St Helena and Howell Mountain AVA's

Cultivation (as of Jan 2022)

Certified CCOF organic, biodynamic practices

Varietal Composition & AVA

100% Cabernet Sauvignon | Napa Valley AVA

Aging Regimen

Aged in a combination of new and used large oak casks and small barriques for two years with an additional year of bottle age before release.

Pack Size

6/750ml

Alcohol

14%