

BRAVANTE

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Viticulture

100% Estate Grown & Bottled
100% Howell Mountain AVA
Peter Murphy- Viticulturist

Varietal Content

48.6% Cabernet Sauvignon
32.4% Merlot
19% Cabernet Franc

Winemaking

22 Months in Oak
Bottled September, 2017
One Polish Filtration
Alcohol, 14.8%
Aging Potential, 10-14 years
Winemaker, Duane Dappen
434 cases produced

2015 Estate TRIO

2015 was an early harvest year for the Napa Valley. We started picking in mid-September, and finished before the middle of October - early for us. The crop was smaller than usual, which gives us great concentration of fruit and beautiful color.

Our 2015 Estate TRIO is a blend of the three Bordeaux varietals we grow - Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot and Cabernet Franc. We created this blend to offer a wine that is approachable sooner, but which still has the great complexity and structure that Howell Mountain wines offer.

The 2015 TRIO has powerful aromas of raspberry and spice, and our trademark plum and cedar box. It's full-bodied but with very supple tannins and a lively, palate-cleansing finish. The flavors of bright berries and spice linger on the long finish.

92 Points, James Suckling