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HENDRY VINEYARD
NAPA VALLEY
2022 HRW ZINFANDEL

VINEYARD Grapes for the HRW series wines, like all Hendry wines, come from our Napa vineyard, which has been farmed by the Hendry family since 1939. This wine is a blend of press wine and free-run wine from multiple blocks. The production is small—often just a few hundred cases.

BLOCKS This wine was made from grapes grown in Blocks 7, 12, 22, 28 and 29.

VINTAGE In 2022, Zinfandel budbreak was March 27-31st, bloom was May 20th, and grapes in the Zinfandel blocks were harvested between September 8th and 14th. Bloom-to-harvest averaged 113 days across all Zinfandel blocks. Average yield in the Zinfandel Blocks was 2.06 tons per acre. These low-yielding vines, ranging in age from 24 to 48 years, produce concentrated, flavorful fruit.

WINEMAKING Primary fermentation was completed in approximately ten days in closed stainless steel fermentation tanks. When the wines reached complete dryness, (<.5 g/L residual sugar), they were pressed to French oak barrels for malolactic fermentation. Total aging was approximately twelve months in French oak barrels, of which 10% were new.

NOTES Fruit driven, with blueberry and blackberry jam leading the aromatic profile. Secondary aromas include coffee, seaweed and cedary spice. Full and fruity, easy drinking, moderately structured. Tannins present but softened, even without food. A good all-around wine for pastas, burgers, barbecue, a meaty Bolognese, or just a cheese plate. Our HRW is good everyday value for those who prefer fruity, dry Zinfandels.

14.8 % alcohol
566 cases produced