

2012 MALBEC



AVAILABILITY

JUNE 2015

SOURCE

COUGAR MILLS VINEYARD

WALLA WALLA VALLEY

100% MALBEC

OAK PROGRAM

Aged in 100% 60 gallon barrels of which 20% are new American oak air dried for 36 months. Extra air drying (normal is 2 year) softens the raw tannins and heavy vanilla character American oak is known for. The effect on the wine is more subtle and elegant.

TASTING NOTES

Malbec's unique aromas of blackberry bramble and gamey dried mushrooms is layered with herbs, tobacco leaf, pepper, and earth. A lush, complex beauty that is smooth but has the acidity and tannins to cellar. Pair this Malbec from our Walla Walla Estate vineyards with grilled or smoked meats or by itself.

12.2% Alcohol