



ZINFANDEL
CALIFORNIA 2005
VINTNER'S RESERVE®

WINEMAKING PHILOSOPHY

For more than two decades, Kendall-Jackson has remained relentlessly committed to producing only the finest quality wines from grapes grown in California's cool coastal vineyards.

We carefully match climates and soil types for each grape varietal, and then handcraft each vineyard lot throughout the winemaking process. Our proprietary approach to winemaking has earned us a reputation for red wines that consistently exhibit intense layers of flavor with complexity and balance.

KEY POINTS

- Jammy blackberry flavors from Mendocino County
- Black olive and white pepper notes from Napa County
- Sonoma County fruit lends coconut and cassis flavors
- Raspberry and cedar from Santa Barbara County
- Plum and spice aromas from Lake County
- Aged 6 months in French (70%) and American oak barrels
- Lots are kept separate until the final blend so that our winemakers have the ability to craft a wine that exhibits the perfect marriage of complexity, flavors and aromas combined with a structured finish.



TASTING NOTES

"Plum, raspberry and blackberry flavors are supported with solid tannins in this rustic Zinfandel. Sultry cedar and spice accents linger on this captivating, long-finishing wine."

Randy Ullom, *Winemaster*

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

Appellation:

California

Composition:

- 97% Zinfandel
- 1% Pinot Meunier
- 1% Petite Sirah
- 1% Syrah

Growing Regions:

- 69% Mendocino County
- 11% Napa County
- 9% Sonoma County
- 6% Santa Barbara County
- 4% Lake County
- 1% San Luis Obispo County

Alcohol: 14.5%

T.A.: 0.61g/100ml

pH: 3.64

