

Silverado

VINEYARDS

2012 SOLO: SINGULARLY EXTRAORDINARY

In 1968, Silverado's estate vineyard became the third planted to Cabernet Sauvignon in the Stags Leap District, now world renowned for its Cabernet Sauvignon.

Over the next two decades, through careful observation and meticulous field selection, an entirely new clone of Cabernet Sauvignon emerged. The vines had adapted to Silverado Vineyard's steep, shale soils to produce fruit with intense plum, red currant and cassis characters.

The University of California at Davis acknowledged this unique vine with a 'Heritage' designation. It is one of only three Cabernet Sauvignons to attain this status – and the only one from Stags Leap District.

Each year, we honor this achievement with our limited release SOLO Cabernet Sauvignon, lovingly crafted from this single, extraordinary clone.

TECHNICAL INFORMATION:

BLEND: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon, Silverado-Disney Heritage Clone 30

ANALYSIS: 14.3% Alc.
6.10 g/L TA
3.52 pH
24.2 Average Brix

VINEYARDS: 100% Silverado Vineyard, Stags Leap District

AGING: Average 22 days of maceration
18 months of barrel age in 100% French Oak ,
45% new
(30% Baron, 21% Nadalie, 21% Marchive, 12% Treuil,
8% Saury, and 4% each Allary & Trust French)

HARVEST: October 11, 13 & 18, 2012

BOTTLED: 2,548 9L Cases

