

# 2013 DUCKHORN VINEYARDS NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON



*The ultimate classic, Napa Cabernet – eminently drinkable & ageable!*



**Composition:** 92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Merlot, 1% Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot

**Market Trends/Opportunity:** Luxury Cabernet category is +18% vs. PY.

**Winemaker:** Renee Ary

**Availability:** National

**Appellation:** Napa Valley

**SRP:** \$72

**Winemaking:** Cabernet Sauvignon was first produced at Duckhorn Vineyards in 1978, the same year we introduced our Three Palms Vineyard Merlot. The Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon is a blend of vineyard lots, utilizing fruit from our estate vineyards and some of the finest independent growers in the Napa Valley. The final wine is an expression of the diversity of Napa Valley itself.

**Tasting Notes:** Both generous and graceful, this compelling Cabernet Sauvignon offers aromas of blackberry, fig, pipe tobacco and sandalwood. On the palate, a wonderful, layered structure that is one of the hallmarks of the exceptional 2013 vintage, underscores flavors of violet, red currant, cocoa nibs and graphite. The finished is long and focused, with a hint of vibrant red fruit reminiscent of fresh strawberry rhubarb cobbler.

**Key Accolades:** v12 91 Pts., *James Suckling*. v11 92 Pts., *Wine Review Online*. v10 90 Pts., *Wine Spectator*. v10 92 Pts., *Wine Review Online*. v09 4 Stars – Excellent *Restaurant Wine*.

**Recommended Pairings:** Grilled Beef or Venison, Mole, Truffles, Dried Dark Fruits, Camembert.

**UPC:** 669576 019344

**SCC/Case Code:** 20 669576 01934 8

**TTB Approval:** 13095001000076

**Marquee Accounts:** Mastro's, Morton's, Ruth's Chris, Tra Vigne, Fleming's, Oceanaire, Ritz Carlton, Patina, Bellagio, Del Frisco's, Smith & Wollensky, Wynn, Sparks Steakhouse, Spago.

**Alcohol:** 14.5%

**Formats Available:** 375ml, 750ml, 1.5L, 3.0L