



2015 ESTATE RED WINE

Winemaker's Notes

Figgins Estate Vineyard is the highest elevation Bordeaux variety vineyard in the Walla Walla Valley. Our position up Mill Creek lends itself to ideal autumn ripening, even in especially warm years like 2015. This vintage was the earliest harvest in our history, but retained a delicious balance between acidity and tannin due in part to the high elevation. The 2015 Estate Red is among the most compelling I have had a hand in making in my 21 professional vintages at Leonetti and FIGGINS. This wine is what I imagined our exceptional site to be capable of producing when I bought the land and designed the vineyard over 15 years ago.

Rich in color, the wine entices you with an intoxicating nose of baking spices, cherry compote, wild roses, cassis and caramel apple. Layer upon layer of perfectly ripe red and black fruits and silky tannin engage the palate. I have not been this excited about a FIGGINS release since my inaugural vintage in 2008!

BLEND

Figgins Estate Vineyard is planted to several clones each of Cabernet Sauvignon, Petit Verdot, and Merlot

BARREL AGING PROFILE

70% New French Oak
30% Second Fill French Oak
22 Months

ALCOHOL

14.8%

PRODUCTION

2,470 Cases

RELEASE DATE

Fall 2018

VINEYARD SOURCE

Figgins Estate Vineyard,
Walla Walla Valley

OPTIMUM DRINKING WINDOW

Upon Release to 2043

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