

# Abacela

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YEARS

## 2016 MALBEC RESERVE

ESTATE GROWN

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon AVA

Harvest Date: 3, 21 September, 3 October 2016

At harvest: Sugar; 24.23° Brix    pH; 3.58    TA; 7.43 grams/liter

At bottling: Sugar; Nil

Cooperage: French (100%), 8% new, 92% neutral

Bottling date: 25 July 2018

Alcohol: 14.3% by volume

Case Production: 218 (750 mL)

SRP: \$44.00 (750 mL)

## TASTING NOTES

In this great vintage East Hill Block produced a dense, concentrated wine that qualified to be called a reserve. Rich, aromatic purple fruit combined with smoky oak and velvety texture culminate in a lengthy finish that keeps going.