

"OREGON'S MOST INTERESTING VINEYARD PROPERTY"

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2016 MERLOT

ESTATE GROWN

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon AVA

Harvest Date: 29, 30 September, 3 October 2016

At harvest: Sugar; 24.2° Brix pH; 3.52 TA; 6.75 grams/liter

At bottling: Sugar; Nil

Cooperage: French (78%), American (22%), 22% New, 78% Neutral

Bottling date: 29 July 2018 Alcohol: 14.3% by volume

Case Production: 150 (750 mL) SRP: \$26.00 (750 mL)

TASTING NOTES

This complex, medium bodied wine was assembled from our best barrels of Merlot. Aromas of blackberries, olives and savory herbs revolve around flavors of cherry, truffle and chocolate.