

Krutz family cellars



2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Stagecoach Vineyard Atlas Peak Napa Valley

Winemaker's Tasting Notes A focused display of the 2013 vintage. Dark and plush blackberry, black cherry and espresso bean lift forward from the glass. Plush and velvet texture on the palate accompany flavors of dark fruit, cedar spice, forest floor and a bit of mountain sage. Youthful and lovely now and could easily negotiate 10+ more years.

VINEYARD & HARVEST INFORMATION

<i>Vineyard</i>	Stagecoach Vineyard has become one of the most renowned vineyards in Napa Valley. It rises from 1,200 feet above sea level to nearly 1,850 feet at its highest on the southern side of the Oakville appellation's Pritchard Hill and Atlas Peak. With south-facing slopes filled with shallow, volcanic soils, its rugged terroir is ideal for growing intense cabernet sauvignon.
<i>Vineyard Elevation</i>	1,625 feet above sea level
<i>Exposure</i>	South-Southeast
<i>Soil</i>	Mountain rock
<i>Block/Clone</i>	K-2A Block, Clone 15 Cabernet Sauvignon
<i>Harvested</i>	Split Picks October 2-6, 2013 @ 25-26 Brix

WINEMAKING INFORMATION

<i>Blend</i>	85% Cabernet Sauvignon 10% Petit Verdot 5% Malbec
<i>Fermentation</i>	Macro bins and 48's for 23 days on skins
<i>Alcohol by Volume</i>	14.4%
<i>pH</i>	3.73
<i>Cooperage</i>	65% new French oak: Seguin-Moreau "Cabernet Selection" & "Special Rouge"
<i>Barrel Aging</i>	20 months
<i>Release Date:</i>	April, 2016
<i>Production</i>	400 cases produced



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