



2018 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

WILLOW CREEK VINEYARD – PASO ROBLES

WILLOW CREEK DISTRICT

AROMA	Anise, tobacco leaf and black currant
FLAVOR	Baking spices, cedar, black cherry, and plum. Bright acidity with full bodied tannins.
FOOD PAIRINGS	Braised lamb shanks, or beef tenderloin with blackberry dressing
VINEYARD DETAILS	Willow Creek Vineyard 1,660 – 1,800 feet Limestone, calcareous rock, and heavy clay soils

Allegretto Wines encompasses three vineyards within two different sub-appellations of Paso Robles. Our estate grown and single vineyard wines are sourced from the vineyards that surround the Allegretto Resort, as well as our westside vineyards in the Willow Creek District. Willow Creek Vineyard was planted in 1997 and has a total of 40 acres. Cabernet Sauvignon makes up 17 acres of the vineyard, and is dry farmed. The westside of Paso Robles can receive on a yearly basis, 10” or more of rain than the eastside. The Willow Creek district sees warm days, but Pacific Ocean breezes that sweep over the nearby Santa Lucia Mountain range cool the vineyard, and cause daily temperature swings.

Allegretto Wines utilizes biodynamic and organic farming practices. The biodynamic calendar providing detailed astronomical information and indications of optimal times for sowing, transplanting, cultivation, harvesting and using the biodynamic preparations. Biodynamic and organic practices promote the enlivening forces that work dynamically within the soil, compost, and plants to ultimately provide us with healthier bodies, and a healthier planet.

This Cabernet Sauvignon comes from our vineyard in the world-famous Willow Creek District on the westside of Paso Robles. 40% of the grapes are destemmed, with 60% of the grapes kept as whole clusters for crushing. The wine is fermented in small open top tanks for up to 3 weeks. The wine is then placed in French Oak barrels for aging.

VARIETAL	CABERNET SAUVIGNON	COOPERAGE	25% NEW FRENCH OAK FOR 48 MONTHS
ALCOHOL	14.5%	RELEASE	MARCH OF 2022
CASES	558		
