

## HIGHWAY 12 MERLOT

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- Produced from a region in Sonoma Valley known as the "Banana Belt" due to the warm climate and geothermal activity that warms the soil as well.
- This wine is 100% Merlot and is definitely not your Mom's Merlot from the 80's.
- Weighty and bold, this Merlot was aged for 19 months in new and neutral Oak. Layers of Black cherry, blueberry and plum are underscored by vanilla and mocha on the pallet.
- The name Highway 12 represents our vineyard sourcing along State Highway 12 that runs through the Russian River, Sonoma Valley, Carneros, through Lodi.



