

A single vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon from the 30 acre Emery Estates hillside vineyard in Sonoma Valley. The vineyard lies at the top of Gehricke Road on the Sonoma side of Mount Veeder.

Derek Irwin, the winemaker and vineyard manager, conducts the harvest at night to preserve the freshness of the fruit. The fruit is picked by hand.

Aged for 28 months in French oak (70% used/30% new)

Production: 2007 vintage - 2300 cases

The result is: a fleshed out fruit forward Cabernet Sauvignon with a nice nose of roasted herbs, coffee, black cherries and plums. A bit of complexity with mild tannins, very approachable.

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