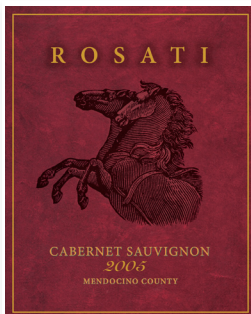


# ROSATI

*Family Winery*

100% ESTATE GROWN  
**CABERNET SAUVIGNON**  
*2005*  
MENDOCINO COUNTY

Danelle and Mario's goal has been to consistently create a food friendly wine that reflects their beloved Mendocino Ranch—its fresh earthiness, its daily warmth, and complementary foggy evening breezes; a wine that is pure and prominently derived from estate grown 100% Cabernet Sauvignon grapes.



Our 2005 is a refined and symmetrical wine with velvety burgundy color and brilliant clarity. In bottle since 2007, the wine has developed a well-integrated, complex bouquet of berries and flowers: cassis, cherry, boysenberry, and dried rose petal. Scents of leather, toasted oak, and clove underlay the bright fruit and floral aromas. The wine has a smooth, supple entry into the mouth with pleasant, palate clearing astringency and acidity. Serve with pork stew.

APPELLATION *Mendocino County* VARIETAL *100% Cabernet Sauvignon*  
CLONES *Carefully selected Jimsomare clones by Dave Bennion, one of the founders of Ridge Vineyards*  
PLANTED *1987* YIELD *2.5 tons per acre* SOIL *Hopland gravelly clay loam*  
ELEVATION *Sloped vineyard at 1,000 to 1,200 feet*  
CLIMATE *warm summer days with midafternoon western breezes* HARVEST DATES *October 24+25, 2005*  
COOPERAGE *19 months in new French oak* ALC *14.5%* PRODUCTION *916 cases*