

HIGH DIVE

2015

NAPA VALLEY

High Dive is a collaboration between **Share a Splash Wine Co.** Founder, Yoav Gilat, iconic winemaker, Peter Heitz, and acclaimed winemaker and owner, Palazzo Wines, Scott Palazzo. Limited production, High Dive is crafted from a portfolio of several of the best vineyards in Napa Valley. The wine's 'Left Bank' Bordeaux style blends world-class Cabernet Sauvignon with additional Bordeaux varietals.

WINEMAKERS

Peter Heitz and Scott Palazzo

PRODUCTION

3,600 bottles

AVA | SOIL TYPES

High Dive is sourced from the ideal Napa Valley microclimates of Oakville (volcanic red clay) and Carneros (shallow clay)

2015 GROWING SEASON

The 2015 growing season in Napa Valley started out with unseasonably warm temperatures in the late winter and early spring. This resulted in an early bud break and bloom. Colder temperatures in May (during the peak of bloom) caused uneven fruit set which ultimately resulted in a much smaller crop in 2015, compared to the three abundant vintages that preceded it. The resulting wine displays an intriguing purity of flavor, and rich density while driving on freshness.

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

68% Cabernet Sauvignon, 16% Merlot, 14% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

TECHNICALLY

Alcohol: 14.5 % | TA: 6.5 g/L | pH: 3.66

Aged 19 months in 65% new French oak from select artisan Coopers.

TASTING NOTES

Dark berries and black cherry aromatics lead to a dense core of cassis. Field ripe strawberries, crushed blackberries and brooding blue tones encapsulate powerful textural highlights. Fantastic density and weight, with an expanding midpalette that turns to purity and uplift in finishing.

High Dive represents the thrill, magic, and joy of life. It is the excitement you feel when you start your journey, the freedom when you dive in, let go and enjoy.

