

HIGH DIVE

2016

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

3,500 bottles

AVA | SOIL TYPES

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

2016 GROWING SEASON

The near-perfect 2016 growing season started early, saw ideal weather conditions throughout, and wrapped up as the valley's first significant fall rainstorm arrived on October 14. Thanks to a relatively steady and mild July and August and then a series of warm days at the end of the growing season, vineyards were able to progress to perfect ripeness.

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

68% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Merlot, 12% Cabernet Franc, 1% Malbec
1% Petit Verdot

TECHNICALLY

Alcohol: 14.5 % | TA: 6.6 g/L | pH: 3.55

Aged 20 months in 65% new French oak from select artisan Coopers.

TASTING NOTES

Accessible aromas of sun-ripened blackberries and red cherry blend with a dense core of cassis and pomegranate reduction on the nose. Playful acidity is lavishly rounded by tones of bright strawberries, muddled blackberries and huckleberries. Rich mouthfeel is accompanied by an expansive, pure fruit mid palette that trails into a broad and lingering finish.

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.

