



TA: 0.56 g/100 mL

PH: 3.93

ALCOHOL: 15.1%

BLEND: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

CASE PRODUCTION:

201

COLUMBIA VALLEY

## 2021 Limited Release Druthers Cabernet Sauvignon

### VINTAGE NOTES

- 2021 was a very warm growing season which resulted in intensely concentrated flavors in the wines.
- Our typical cool nights during harvest helped us retain the wonderful natural acidity Washington is known for.
- The season produced red wines dark in color and dense in concentration and white wines with varietal character and bright vibrancy.

### VINEYARD NOTES

- 100% of the fruit was sourced from Cold Creek Vineyard
- Planted in 1973, the south-facing Cold Creek Vineyard is a warm, dry site with high heat accumulation.
- The low yielding old vines produce small clusters and small berries, resulting in intense varietal flavors and deep color.

### WINEMAKING NOTES

- Ripe grapes were destemmed with a cutting-edge grape receiving and sorting system designed to gently remove any green material from the grapes.
- Each fermentation tank is tasted daily to evaluate the development of the tannins and structure.
- Aged for 22 months in 30% new French oak and 70% neutral French oak.

### TASTING NOTES

One spot in our very own Cold Creek Vineyard produces the most decadent and stunning Cabernet Sauvignons. This vintage had an incredibly hot June which led to a Druthers that is at once deep and surprisingly fresh at the same time. Black fruit, molasses and baking spices lead the way to a smooth and rich finish. - Brian Mackey