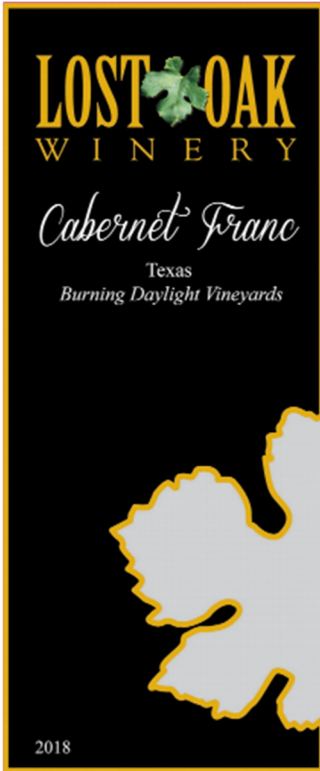


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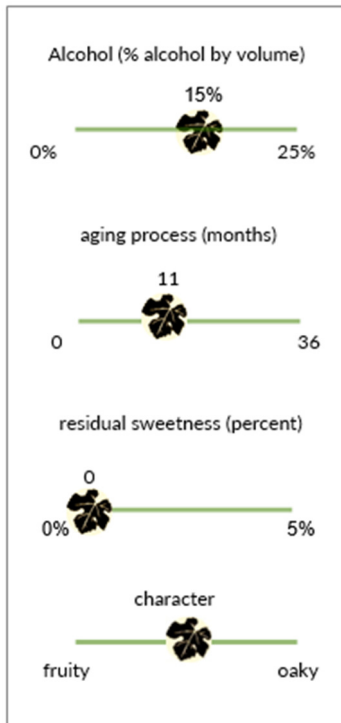


WINEMAKER NOTES

Cabernet Franc (kab-er-nay frah~n) originates in the Loire region of France but is best known as a blending grape for Bordeaux style reds. It tends to have similar flavors to Cabernet Sauvignon but is lighter in intensity and color. DNA testing has proven Cabernet Franc to be a parent grape of Cabernet Sauvignon, Merlot, and Carménère.

TASTING NOTES

Bright red and cheery hued this Cabernet Franc has aromas reminiscent of coffee and sweet almond oil. Flavors of coffee continue to the palate then drift away to reveal flavors of red currants and lingonberry.



TECHNICAL NOTES

Varietals & Vineyards:

91% Cabernet Franc from Burning Daylight Vineyard
Rendon, TX

9% Petit Verdot from Sprayberry Vineyard Midland, TX

Harvest Date:

August 25, 2018
25.5 Brix

Aging:

11 months in oak, 12% new oak
Bottled September 26, 2019

Food Pairing:

This red would be at home paired with a rich blue cheese and pine nut wedge salad or stake fajitas with grilled bell peppers and onions. For a sweeter snack try chocolate covered espresso beans.