



**Rampage
2013
Lodi
ZINFANDEL**

Technical Information

Appellation: Lodi

Varietal Composition: 95% Zinfandel, 5% Petite Sirah

Total Acid: .59 g/100ml

pH: 3.51

Alcohol: 13.5%

WINE NOTES

Vintage:

The 2013 Lodi growing season was ideal with healthy yields and exceptional quality across the board. Spring and summer temperatures were mild with plenty of warm days and cool nights. During late summer, moderate heat gently coaxed the grapes through veraison and helped to ensure optimal ripeness at harvest time. This was a classic year for red varieties – the wines are deeply colored with intense fruit flavors and supple tannins.

Winemaking:

Grapes for our Rampage Zinfandel were harvested during the cool night hours then delivered to the winery to be de-stemmed prior to fermentation. After a week of fermentation, the wine was carefully pressed and racked into oak barrels to age for several months prior to bottling.

Winery Notes:

Dark berry and spicy notes entice the nose, while ripe plum, blackberry and a touch of blueberry flavors entertain the taste buds. Juicy and structured, this wine is well-balanced with a long, velvety finish.

Food Pairing:

Enjoy this full-bodied wine with hearty fare such as BBQ, beef stew and wood-fired sausage pizza.