

# RAVENSWOOD

## OLD VINE ZINFANDEL

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### 2016 LODI

#### VITAL STATS

- Start with the color of this Zin—dark magenta red, brilliant and deep
- Soft, round, full aromas of blueberries, black plums, vanilla, and cocoa with a hint of Lodi tarragon
- Acidity so balanced it could walk a tightrope

#### THE APPELLATION

The Lodi region is characterized by warm days and cool nights with deep, sandy soils, forcing the vine's roots to push deep to find water and nutrients. The old vines that supply our Lodi Zinfandel typically are the first of our three County Zinfandels to be harvested. The warm days and early ripening lead to a soft and very fruit-driven Zinfandel.

#### WHAT YOU'RE IN FOR

Our Lodi Zin explodes with blueberries, black plums, vanilla, and cocoa. Lush and mouthfilling, with incredibly silky tannins that slide into a long, flavorful finish. Uncork now for a tempting taste, or cellar for up to 10 years of flavor development.

#### PAIR IT UP

Turkey dinner, baked salmon, and herb-crusted chicken

#### STICK TO THE FACTS

**The Blend:** 82% Zinfandel, 17% Petite Sirah, 1% Alicante Bouschet

**Fermentation:** Native yeast fermentation, 5–8 days skin contact

**Aging:** 18 months in French oak barrels, 30% new

**TA:** 5.83 g/L

**pH:** 3.62

**Alcohol:** 14.5%

**Ageability:** Drink now or wait up to 10 years



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Classically crafted Zinfandels of  
exceptional quality and soul.  
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