



Red Gold

LILLOOET VQA 2020

Production 66 cases

Winery retail price: \$54.99

ANALYSIS

Alc. 13.2%
pH 3.68
TA 6.6 g/l
RS 3.2 g/l

AVAILABILITY: RESTRICTED LISTING

Winery direct, select fine wine stores, grocery stores and restaurants

CSPC: 499319

UPC: 626990114274

VINEYARD

Dry Creek Vineyard, Fort Berens Estate Winery in Lillooet.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

After an absence of 3 years, the Red Gold is back in our portfolio. Red Gold is only made when the vintage meets a minimum quality level.

A true expression of Lillooet terroir, this full-bodied wine is handcrafted exclusively from 100% estate grown grapes. This cellar-worthy blend is comprised of 67% Cabernet Franc and 33% Merlot. After a cold soaked for 3 days, the must was naturally fermented and reached a temperature of 28 degrees at its peak. A combination of punch downs and pump overs every 4 hours. The wine underwent 10 days post maceration on skins. The components were aged separately in 100% new French oak barrels. After tasting through all of the barrels, our winemaker thoughtfully selected the top 3 barrels in our cellar to feature in this extremely small lot wine.

TASTING NOTES

A bold yet elegant wine. Loaded with dark fruit, cassis, blueberry, violets, cigar box and chocolate. Soft juicy palate and full bodied.

