

2021 PRIMITIVO SUISUN VALLEY AVA



OUR PROCESS

The Lanza Vineyards Primitivo comes from our LMP vineyard location. Due to the popularity of Italian wine varietals, a large percentage of our Primitivo grapes ship to East Coast home winemakers.

The Primitivo grape grows primarily in Italy's Puglia region. Research indicates that Primitivo, like the very similar Zinfandel grape in California, is a clone of an ancient Croatian grape called Crljenak Kaštelanski. While it originated in Croatia, its high yields and love for the warm, temperature climate make it a perfect grape for our Suisun Valley climate.

TASTING NOTES

Primitivo is a red wine grape, also known as Zinfandel. An early-ripening grape, this varietal grows well in hot, dry climates like Suisun Valley. With notes of toasted oak and cured meat on the nose and floral notes of violet and pomegrante on the palate, this wine has a rich, rounded mouthfeel without being heavy. Our Primitivo has a long, flavorful finish that lingers. Fruit-driven with medium tannins and acidity, this wine will pair well with braised lamb, pizza, and anything barbecued.

BRAND

Lanza Italian Collection

VARIETAL BLEND

97.05% Primitivo 2.95% Petite Sirah

TECHNICAL DATA

Alcohol: 14.2%

pH: 3.62 TA: .54g/100mL

RS: 0.05%

Cooperage: 14mos Amer Oak

Bottling Date: 2/2/2023 Cases Produced: 354

Release Date: 6/30/2023

VINEYARD SOURCE

97.049% LMP Vineyard 2.951% Home Ranch Vineyard