

# BLACKBOARD 2019 RED WINE



The 2019 Blackboard Red Wine was crafted from two vineyards across two AVAs in Washington State: Royal Slope (51%) and Columbia Valley (49%). Farmed using sustainable practices, the vines were hand-harvested in the early fall mornings of 2019. Upon arrival at the winery, each cluster was hand-sorted and destemmed. The wine was fermented in stainless steel tanks, and aged on French oak for three months (25% new). After extensive evaluation by our winemaking team, 6,240 cases were produced.

“Aromas of blackcurrants, blackberries and ground spice. Medium-to full-bodied with soft, silky tannins. Brooding, with pleasantly juicy red and black fruit. Walnuts, too. 51% cabernet sauvignon and 49% merlot. Drink now. Screw cap.”

—90 points, James Suckling, [jamesuckling.com](http://jamesuckling.com)

## DETAILS

Labeled AVA	Columbia Valley
Varietal Composition	51% Cabernet Sauvignon, 49% Merlot
Fermentation	100% stainless steel
Aging	Aged 3 months on 25% new French oak
Alcohol	13.7%
Case Production	6,240
Drinkability	Now-2023
Retail	\$24

## VINEYARDS

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| ① Columbia Valley AVA | Conner Lee Vineyard |
| ② Royal Slope AVA     | Solaksen Vineyard   |

