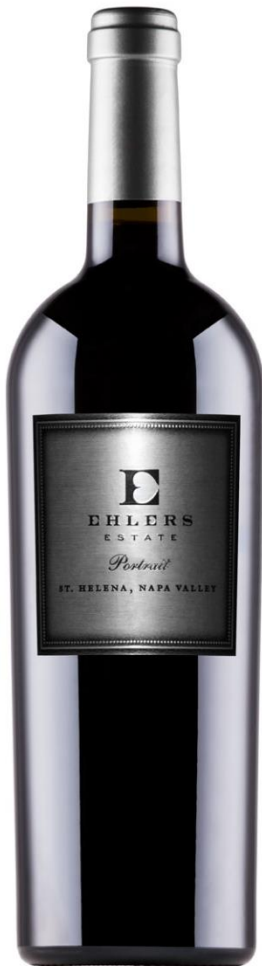




## 2015 Portrait

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**Tasting Notes:** This first vintage of a Bordeaux-styled estate blend is powerful and elegant at the same time. Earthy yet fruit-driven, over spicy hints of pepper, mint, and eucalyptus, dried blueberries, blackberry jam, leather, and mocha. A big full-bodied blend, with soft chewy tannins, and a long-layered finish.

**Vintage:** 2015 was another great vintage in the Napa Valley. Another drought year that started out unseasonably warm, prompting the vines to get started historically early. The weather was beautifully sunny and mild all summer long, and most of us finished picking our vineyards weeks ahead of any vintage in memory. The crop was small and concentrated; the resulting wines are intense, concentrated, and complex.

**Varietal:** 59% Cabernet Sauvignon • 3% Merlot • 9% Cabernet Franc • 1% Petit Verdot

**Harvest:** September 1 – 23, 2015

**Wine Analysis:** 14.2 % alcohol • 3.54 pH

**Appellation:** St. Helena, Napa Valley

**Bottling Date:** August 17, 2017

**Cases Produced:** 2,155 6 pack cases