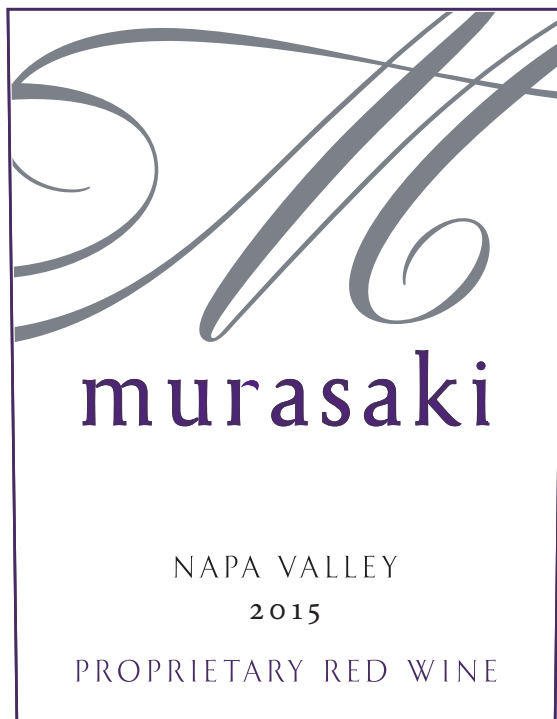


KENZO ESTATE



murasaki

NAPA VALLEY

2015

PROPRIETARY RED WINE



# **murasaki** 2015

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**murasaki**, meaning purple in Japanese, also signifies the color of royalty.

*This wine appropriately follows suit with its opulent purple hue and expressive, delicate essence. **murasaki** is Kenzo Estate's homage to the Merlot-influenced blends from Bordeaux's famed Right Bank producers, where the wines are smooth, supple and elegant. Our winemaking team carefully selects the finest lots of Merlot to serve as the foundation to this limited production offering. Always bottled in very small quantities, the 2015 **murasaki** is especially precious. This epic 2015 vintage has given us a wine brimming with seductive aromatics ranging from Bing cherry to brioche and sweet cigar box. On the palate, dark fruit transitions into notes of minerality, tempered by soft tannins to create a refined, graceful finish. Enjoy this treasured, majestic offering both now and as it flourishes in the bottle for years to come.*

<b>Color</b>	Dark violet
<b>Bouquet</b>	Forest floor, toasted brioche, blueberry cobbler, Bing cherry, crushed slate, smoked maple bacon, cigar box
<b>Palate</b>	Dark, succulent fruit, round, silky tannins, long, memorable finish
<b>Origin</b>	Napa Valley
<b>Vintner</b>	Kenzo Tsujimoto
<b>Winemaker</b>	Heidi Barrett
<b>Viticulturist</b>	David Abreu
<b>Cépage</b>	Merlot (73.5%), Cabernet Sauvignon (17.5%), Cabernet Franc (3%), Malbec (3%), Petit Verdot (3%)
<b>Volume</b>	1.5L, 750ml, 375ml
<b>Vintage:</b>	2015
<b>Alcohol</b>	15.2%
<b>Barrel Aging</b>	20 months in 50% new French oak, 50% neutral French oak

