

DeLille

LEGACY TIER

2022 Chaleur Estate Red Blend

A full-bodied and memorable wine with a wonderfully silky palate

The 2022 Chaleur Estate is brimming with seductive dark fruits, enhanced by a savory undertone that showcases the complexity of Red Mountain fruit. With each sip, marionberry, black cherry, and espresso bean aromas waft from the glass. On the palate, barrel-induced notes of vanilla bean, cinnamon stick, and clove complement flavors of dark fruit, sandalwood, crème de cassis, hoisin, and green peppercorn. The wine is full-bodied and rich, completed by well-integrated, velvet-like tannins.

WINEMAKING

Stainless steel fermented, 14-16 days on skins. Barrel aged 20 months in French oak (93% new). Bottle aged 10 months prior to release.

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WINE REPORT

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BEHIND THE WINE

Chaleur Estate, our founding wine, defined our approach to winemaking with its thoughtfully crafted blend of Bordeaux-style varietals from the most respected vineyards in Washington State. Every decision, from hand-picking grapes to the winemaker's final selection of barrels, is made to preserve the distinctive quality of Chaleur Estate. The result is a wine of depth, complexity, focus, and elegance that personifies the French word for warmth, *chaleur*.



VARIETAL

65% Cabernet Sauvignon,
24% Merlot, 9% Cabernet
Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

APELLATION

Red Mountain AVA

AGING

Drink now or age
20+ years

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME

14.7%

VINEYARD

Ciel du Cheval
Klipsun
DuBrul

DeLille is driven by a desire for discovery and endless curiosity, blending varietals, vineyards, techniques and terroirs to showcase the best of Washington.

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