



FAMILY FARMED

ARTEZIN

SUSTAINABLY GROWN

Z I N F A N D E L
EVERETT RIDGE

2013 Artezin Zinfandel is instantly recognizable as a classic, fruit-forward, Zinny Zin. This signature style offers a full-bodied wine with round tannins and moderate alcohol.

Everett Ridge Vineyard

A pioneer in Dry Creek Valley, Everett A. Ridge first purchased land in 1875 and by 1887 had created a stone winery that exists today. Soils in the vineyard are representative of the Dry Creek Conglomerate, which finds well-drained alluvial soils eroding from the hillsides to the benchlands. These old vines struggle and concentrate flavors, achieving great balance.

Winemaker Notes

"Dry Creek Valley is hallowed ground for Zinfandel and we craft this limited release wine from tiny parcels on both the benchlands and valley floor. Recognizable for its Dry Creek pedigree, this wine shows aromas and jammy flavors of blackberry and currants with pepper and spice. Enjoy now or cellar through 2017 for added complexity. Pairs divinely with grilled, roasted and barbecued meats and robust pastas."

-Randle Johnson, Winemaker

Appellation: Dry Creek Valley

Cooperage: Aged in 100%
French oak
barrels

TA: 0.59 gms/100ml

Blend: 100% Zinfandel

Ph: 3.61

Alcohol: 14.6%

Dry Creek Valley

Dry Creek Valley is nestled between the Alexander Valley to the east and the Russian River Valley to the southwest. Throughout the summer, the area benefits from warm daytime temperatures and coastal cooling in the late afternoon. Long, warm days are ideal for bringing grapes to ripeness while cool nights preserve natural acidity. Zinfandel loves heat, which gives the grape its distinctive jammy note. Zinfandel thrives in Dry Creek Valley, where it is the most recognized red grape varietal grown.