



2014

# THE PH.D.

NAPA VALLEY  
HOWELL MOUNTAIN  
CABERNET SAUVIGNON

## THE NUMBERS

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100% HOWELL MOUNTAIN  
*Cabernet Sauvignon*

24 MONTHS IN FRENCH OAK

125 CASES PRODUCED

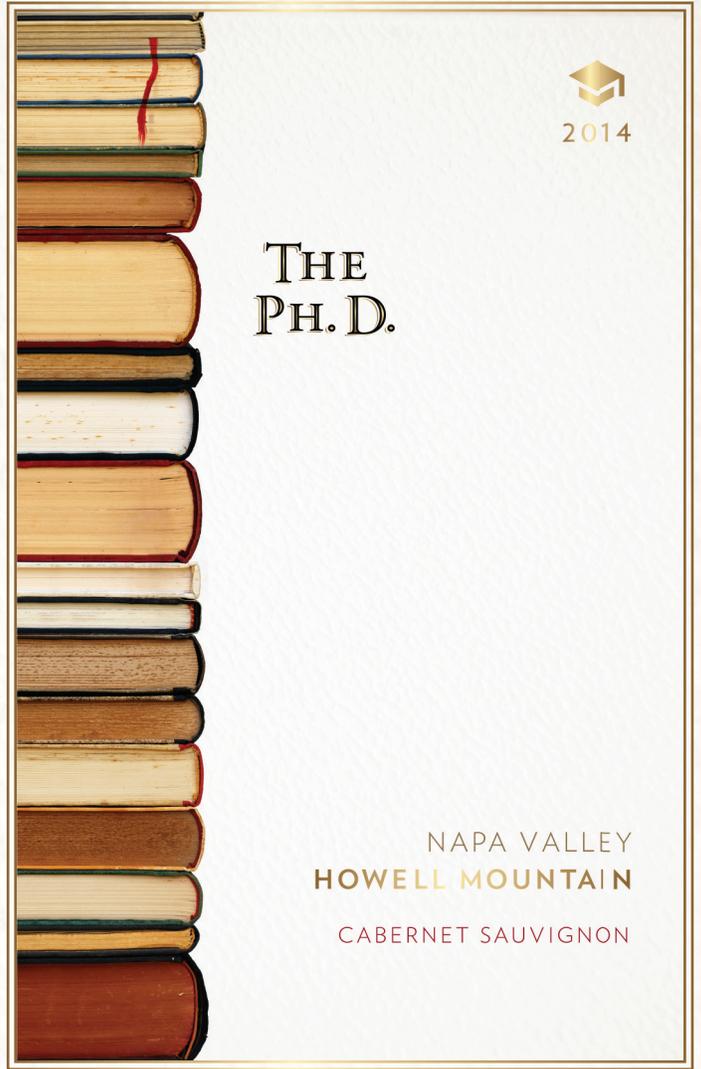
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The 2014 Ph.D. is the pinnacle of our reserve wine series. A wine for the purist, it is 100% Howell Mountain Cabernet Sauvignon. This is a muscular wine that offers a bounty of both fruit and earth driven aromatics. Bursts of black currant and blackberry fruit leap from the glass. Notes of chocolate, graphite, and wild fruit layer themselves together seamlessly. Cocoa and hits of oak grace the palate as tiers of rich, exotic flavors unfold, providing a satisfying backbone.