

BROWN

NAPA VALLEY

BROWN ESTATE 2016 TEMPRANILLO

Composition	100% Estate Grown Tempranillo
Vineyard Source	Brown Estate – Big Field
Appellation	Napa Valley
Barrel Aging	12 months in 30% new French oak
Alcohol	14.5% by vol.
Production	300 cases (12 x 750ml format)

Tasting Notes

Medium ruby color. Nose begins with rich boysenberry and wild blackberry notes, opening to a bouquet of Earl Grey tealeaves, sandalwood, saffron, dried rose petals, and dried herbs. Olfactory notes carry through on palate, enriched with notes of marinated fig, bramble fruit compote with vanilla cream, and sassafras, finishing with a subtle hint of sweet tobacco. Medium-bodied with medium tannins. Drink now through 2028.

Pairing Inspiration

Smoky grilled meats, grilled octopus, or even B.L.T. with chipotle mayo. Spanish or Mexican cuisine, tomato sauce dishes, corn-based sides such as polenta.