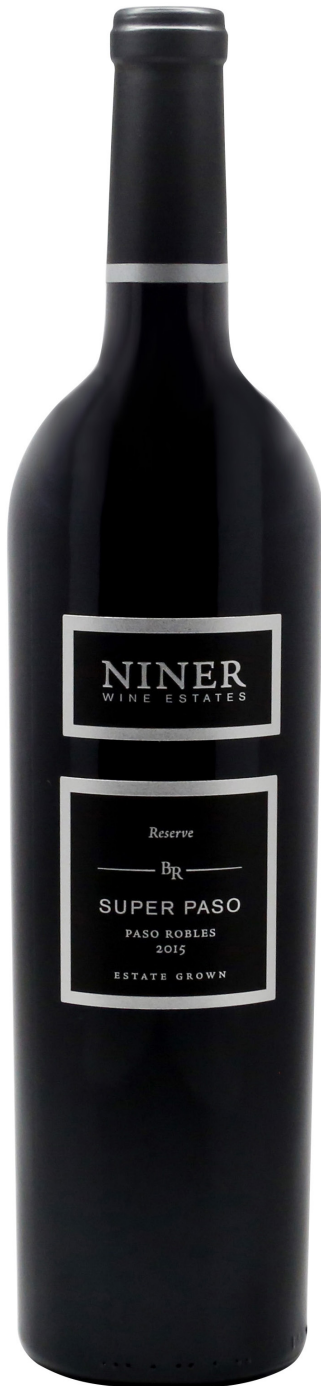


2015
**RESERVE
SUPER PASO**

Bootjack Ranch, Paso Robles
31% Sangiovese · 24% Barbera · 24% Petit Verdot
21% Cabernet Sauvignon



VINEYARD

Grapes for this wine were grown at Bootjack Ranch located in the Geneseo District of Paso Robles. The vineyard has two distinct soil profiles: expansive flats of calcareous soils (ancient crustacean remains) and rolling hills of sandy loam. The flat sections have high lime content, while the hillsides are well-draining.

WINEMAKING

This blend was built from the grapes up, starting with two co-fermentations. One was our Sangiovese and Barbera: classic Italian cousins that do well together. We also experimented with a non-traditional pairing of Sangiovese and Cabernet Sauvignon during primary fermentation. The chemistry that takes place during fermentation results in a wine that is completely different than blending the same wines post-fermentation, and in this case produced a brilliantly juicy and remarkable wine. Accented with small amounts of other varietals during blending added structure and refinement. Aging Recommendation: Peak Maturity - Decant and Drink Now.

WINEMAKER	Patrick Muran
CLONES	Rodino, 2, 84, 15
ROOTSTOCK	103P, 101-14
VINEYARD	Bootjack Ranch
BLOCKS	B7, A1, B3b, A9, B3a, A10
pH/TA	3.6/6.3 g/L
ALCOHOL	14.5%
BARREL AGING	16 months
CASES PRODUCED	231