



# GRASSINI

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## FAMILY VINEYARDS

### *2019 EQUIPO RED BLEND*

Our Equipo project fulfills the "community sustainability" aspect of our overall commitment to sustainable agriculture and is our effort to enhance the quality of life for the folks whose hard work and dedication help us grow superb grapes. "Equipo" is the Spanish term for "team", and we are fortunate to have had the same team ever since we first planted our vines. We dedicate a portion of the profits from the sale of this cuvée to crew bonuses, in addition to having created an emergency fund for our team to help defray some of the unexpected costs that arise during serious illness.

Our 2019 Equipo is showing its potential right out of the gate! Powerful notes of ripe plum and pomegranate immediately greet the nose, along with hints of violet, nutmeg, and thyme. Upon first sip, the bold flavors immediately coat the palate. This wine is playful and fruit-forward with juicy, fleshy red fruit notes. Notes of cassis give it a slight earthiness, and whispers of white peppercorn and dried sage beautifully balance the rich fruit.

This wine demonstrates real "finesse", as it is polished and clean with fantastic structure. Vibrant, intense, and robust, the finish is smooth, but lingering. Elegant and polished, this wine is drinking beautifully and is the perfect choice to share with family, friends, or your "Equipo."

<b>Varietals:</b>	85% Cabernet Sauvignon 8% Merlot 7% Petit Verdot
<b>Harvest Date:</b>	October 14, 2019
<b>Barrel Aging:</b>	45% New French Oak 55% Neutral French Oak
<b>Bottling Date:</b>	May 13, 2022
<b>Production:</b>	300 Cases
<b>Alcohol:</b>	14.5%

