

# 2023 The Tempo

*Homage to the Right Bank of Bordeaux · 45% Merlot, 43% Cabernet Franc, 6% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Petit Verdot*

RETAIL	CASES	ALCOHOL	PH	WINEMAKERS
\$85	409	14.3%	3.77	Jeff Streckas & Frédéric Ammons

## TASTING NOTES

**COLOR** *Vibrant, medium-bodied red, hinting at maturity and concentration.*

**NOSE** *Strawberries and cream, caramel, and toffee. An explosive nose immediately upon pouring.*

**PALATE** *Refined tannins vying with cassis, raspberry, and graphite. As the wine warms, Franc-like notes of viburnum and white peppercorn emerge. The finish trails off with butterscotch and fine-grained, drying tannins.*

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## VINEYARD

61% G2N, 33% Vogelzang, 6% ONX Estate. The Tempo is Kunal Mittal's homage to the Right Bank of Bordeaux. Petit Verdot is only added in vintages where the variety is truly supple and floral.

## WINEMAKING AND ELEVAGE

Grapes fermented and macerated on skins for 15 to 21 days before pressing to barrel. Gentle, frequent punch downs throughout. Unfiltered and unfined.