

**Dana Estates 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Helms Vineyard, Rutherford**

Dana's 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Helms Vineyard opens with exquisite, floral-laced aromatics. Rose petal, mint, hard candy, sweet red cherry and cinnamon are all nicely delineated in the glass. Plump, forward and generous, the 2013 Helms is surprisingly approachable today for the year, but there is plenty of stuffing and structure underneath.

**95****Antonio Galloni, October 2015****Dana Estates 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Lotus Vineyard, Napa Valley**

The 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Lotus Vineyard is the biggest and richest of Dana's 2013s. Ample and textured on the palate, the 2013 exudes three-dimensional texture and intensity in all of its facets. This is the least developed of the three Cabernets at this stage. Chocolate, plums, black cherries and smoke melt into a plush finish.

**(94-97)****Antonio Galloni, October 2015****Dana Estates 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Hershey Vineyard, Howell Mountain**

The 2013 Cabernet Sauvignon Hershey Vineyard captures a classic expression of Howell Mountain. Graphite, crushed rocks, mint, lavender and inky blue/purplish fruit all find support from a backbone of firm, salivating tannins. Energetic and pulsating in style, the 2013 is going to require at least a few years in bottle to fully come around. The flavors are precise and finely sculpted throughout.

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