

# Sweetwater

SUSTAINABLE  
LAND CO

**2006 Zinfandel** Russian River Valley, Sonoma County

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## Our Vineyards:

Harvested from Zinfandel vines, some more than 100 years old, these grapes are sustainably grown and harvested entirely by hand. Sweetwater has worked in conjunction with nature for nearly four decades in the Russian River Valley. We believe that treading lightly on the ground helps produce wines of balance and character.

## Winemaking

Our Zinfandel is aged in American oak for over 20 months after naturally fermenting with its grape skins. Maintaining the long-term viability of our land has been our vision for as long as we have farmed it.

## In The Bottle

The nose of this dusty zinfandel is a red cassis with light notes of brambles and raspberry. Bright plum dances on your palette and precedes a delicate green peppercorn spice with a soft oak finish. Spicy barbeque and rhubarb pie would be complemented perfectly by our bold yet agreeable Zin.



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HARVEST  
DATE:  
**October 18  
- 31**

TOTAL  
ACIDITY:  
**.60**

ALCOHOL:  
**14.5%**

RELEASE  
DATE:  
**January 1,  
2008  
Inaugural  
Release!**

pH:  
**3.72**

RESIDUAL  
SUGAR:  
**Dry**