

# 2013 Écluse Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve

*Lock Vineyard*

## ***Tasting Notes:***

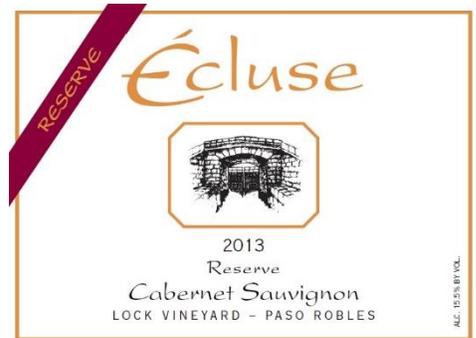
We are ecstatic to release the fourth vintage of our Cabernet Sauvignon Reserve to you in this shipment. The intense color and enticing nose of vanilla, anise, black currant and spice lure you in. These flavors continue on the palate with intense dark fruit and a hint of cocoa. Our Reserve was barrel aged for 30 months creating an elegantly complex wine that is incredibly balanced with luscious flavors and a long, lingering finish. The bold, velvety richness will leave you speechless!

*Only 99 cases of this elegant wine were produced!*

## ***Awards & Accolades:***

*94+ Points – The Wine Advocate*

*93 Points – Wine Enthusiast*



## ***About Écluse Wines:***

Écluse Wines may not be familiar to you yet, but stand by! As the home of a San Francisco Chronicle's Sweepstakes winning Best Red Wine, we at Écluse are dedicated to producing limited production, handcrafted, award-winning wines from our very own Lock Vineyard. Nestled in the gently rolling hillside terroir on the desired Westside of the Paso Robles AVA, we feature Bordeaux and Rhone style wines, as well as our fabulous Zinfandel. Our wines are often described as silky, lush, smooth and approachable when first released, becoming even more complex and elegant as they age!

A question almost always asked of us is about our name, Écluse. The explanation is simple – Écluse is French for the locks on the canals that gently carve their way through the remarkable French wine country – since our last name is Lock, the name Écluse for our wines was born.

Our philosophy from the beginning is that great fruit makes great wine. Having our own small winery onsite gives us the added benefit of picking and crushing small lots throughout the vineyard when the fruit has reached its peak flavors. Having the control from the vineyard to the bottle insures that Écluse will remain the truly remarkable wine that it is today!

We invite you to "Savor the Wine that is truly Écluse!"

Cheers!

Steve & Pam Lock

Proprietors

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