

# Analemma Wines

## Mosier Hills Tinto Columbia Gorge

### 2018

#### Tech Specs

<b>Type:</b>	Red Still Wine
<b>Ingredients:</b>	40% Grenache, 25% Tempranillo, 25% Syrah, and 10% Mencia
<b>Region/Subregion:</b>	Oregon, Columbia Gorge,
<b>ABV:</b>	13%
<b>Sizes Available:</b>	750ml

#### A closer look...

<b>Total Production:</b>	320 cases
<b>Vineyard:</b>	Mosier Hills Estate
<b>Farming Methods:</b>	Hand harvested
<b>Fermentation Methods:</b>	Elements of this blend were co-fermented while others were picked and processed separately with partial whole cluster fermentation
<b>Winemaker:</b>	Steven Thompson
<b>Elevage:</b>	Aged on lees in various sized neutral puncheons, this wine is comprised of barrels that were reserved in the cellar for up to three vintages

#### All about this bottle

Analemma's staff consists of seven farm inhabitants and three jersey cows who work out of a converted barn that acts as their production facility and has a tasting "room" right outside the door. Analemma's biodynamic beliefs and commitment to the soil are at the center of everything they do. The Mosier Hills Estate serves as both Analemma's home and its heart. The vineyard was planted in 2012 amid a former eddy of the Missoula Floods that deposited river stones and granitic glacial erratics. Due to its location in the rain shadow of the Cascade Mountains, the estate is also trapped between maritime and continental climates, with an average precipitation of 25-35 inches per year. Analemma achieved Demeter certification in 2017, and 2020 was the first legally approved release. Regenerative and conscientious approaches guide the care of the vineyards, as well as the 10 acres of orchards, lavender plantings, cow pastures, and gardens that comprise the Analemma ecosystem. The richness of this wine's combination continues to impress. Vibrancy and structured tannins with a lingering presence are revealed by aromas of violet, red cherry, and garrigue. Demeter certified biodynamic.

