



2022 NAPA VALLEY ESTATE GROWN

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

WINEMAKING

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

88% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Merlot,
3% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot,
2% Malbec

BRIX AT HARVEST

Average 26.2°

MACERATION

Average 20 days

BARREL AGING REGIMEN

17 months, 40% new

OVERALL OAK PROFILE

92% French oak, 8% Hungarian oak

pH: 3.60 | TA: 5.9 g/L | RS: 2.15 g/L

ALCOHOL: 14.82% by volume

PRODUCTION: 25,500 cases

WINEMAKER

Alison Rodriguez

HERITAGE

MT. GEORGE VINEYARD (55%) – Located east of Napa, Mt. George Vineyard is the site of one of the first grape plantings in the valley in the 19th century. Mt. George produces wines with intense fruit flavors, dark color, palate density, and classic structure.

SILVERADO VINEYARD (45%) – Silverado Vineyard is home to the namesake winery. It was on this site that Harry See planted Cabernet Sauvignon in 1968 that UC Davis later designated the Disney-Silverado Heritage Clone.

SOILS + CLIMATE

The sloping, gravelly soils and sunny exposure of Silverado Vineyard pairs perfectly with western exposures to the late afternoon sun and Mt. George Vineyard's cooler climate and deep volcanic soils provide depth and structure to these wines.

VINTAGE

The winter of 2021-2022 had minimal rainfall, adding to drought conditions in Napa Valley. With mild winter and spring temperatures, budbreak was earlier than average. Summer was warm and dry, with above average temperatures in August and September, leading to an early and condensed harvest, with plenty of ripe fruit flavors. The Cabernet harvest was completed on October 21st.

TASTING NOTES

Upon opening, concentrated aromas of blackberry and black cherry fill the nose. The palate is full-bodied with abundant dark fruit characters accented by dried herbs, vanilla and spice. This wine is elegantly structured with lingering notes of toasted oak on the finish.

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