

2021 Cabernet Sauvignon

Winemaker: Michael Trujillo

Production: 156 Cases
Release Date: July 2024

Varietal: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Appellation: Saint Helena

Fermentation: 75% New French oak

barrel-aged for 22 months

Tech: pH: 3.7 | TA: 5.7 g/l | RS: 0.4g/l | Alc: 14.8%

Fruit Sourcing: Estate vineyard on family property

founded in 1909

Farming: Sustainable, certified Fish-Friendly Farming

Suggested Retail Price: \$95

BACKGROUND

For five generations, the Battuello family has upheld their dedication to vine cultivation on their Napa Valley Estate, a commitment that endures unwaveringly. The 2021 Cabernet Sauvignon, meticulously chosen from their rockiest blocks, serves as a testament to their deep-rooted love and steadfast devotion to their craft, embodying their profound bond with the land and its bounty.

WINEMAKING

The winemaking process for our Cabernet begins with meticulous hand sorting, followed by gentle crushing and transfer to tanks, where it undergoes a 14-day maceration on skins during fermentation. After gentle pressing, the wine is aged in French oak barrels for 22 months, with 75% of them being new, contributing to its complexity and structure.

TASTING NOTES

With a silky and full-bodied aroma, this wine presents black cherry and black raspberry fruit notes at the forefront, accompanied by pleasant sweet spice nuances and subtle hints of sweet vanilla. While initially bold and forward upon tasting, it gradually reveals a well-balanced and firmly structured Cabernet, offering a full-bodied experience that is both satisfying and harmonious.

