FRANK FAMILY

2023 NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

TASTING NOTES

This is a powerful, classically structured wine made in a full-bodied style that possesses underlying grace. Our signature Cabernet Sauvignon commences with inviting cassis, tobacco, and cocoa aromas. On the palate, gorgeous depth and complexity shine with hints of coffee bean, nutmeg, and toasted oak. The tannins are finely ground and sweet, providing an elegant and expressive finish.

WINEMAKER NOTES

We highlight the beauty and complexity of our valley in this appellation-designated wine, a seamless blend of Cabernet Sauvignon with a splash of Merlot to add a touch of softness and suppleness and Petit Verdot to add color and structure.

SOURCING

This wine is sourced from two of our own Napa Valley vineyards, Benjamin Vineyard and S&J Vineyard. Benjamin Vineyard is located east of Conn Creek Road in the heart of the Rutherford AVA. It is planted with 50 acres of Cabernet Sauvignon and 8 acres of Petit Verdot. The vineyard is composed of gravelly loam soil, ancient sediments from the Conn Creek and Napa River that flowed through the region thousands of years ago. The S&J Vineyard, located east of the Vaca Mountain range in Napa's Capell Valley, is made up of 75 acres of vines. It is planted to 58 acres of Cabernet Sauvignon, along with 9 acres of Petite Sirah and 9 acres of Zinfandel. The soils are fertile, well-drained and clay loam-based, reminiscent of the Rutherford Bench.

AGING

20 months in 33% new and 67% once- and twice-filled French oak barrels.



VARIETAL COMPOSITION:

86% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8% Merlot, 6% Petit Verdot,

HARVEST DATES:

October 9-November 9, 2023

BOTTLED:

May 2025

ACID:

0.56 g/100 ml

pH:

3.74

ALCOHOL:

14.5%