

METHOD

2024 NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON



Blend: 85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot, 3% Petite Sirah, 2% Petit Verdot

Alc: 14.5% by vol. | **Aging:** 12 Months in French oak

pH: 3.7 | **Acidity:** 5.5 g/mL | **Residual Sugar:** 3.5 g/L

VINEYARDS

The grapes, sourced from select vineyards renowned for their high-quality Cabernet Sauvignon, were harvested at optimal maturity to ensure a balance of concentrated flavors and structured tannins. After meticulous sorting, the grapes were destemmed and gently crushed, then fermented in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks to enhance the extraction of color, flavors, and tannins while preserving the integrity of the fruit. Following fermentation, the wine underwent malolactic fermentation to soften the acidity and enhance the mouthfeel, contributing to a richer, more velvety texture. The maturation process involved aging the wine in French oak barrels for several months, with a significant portion being new oak to impart depth and complexity. This oak aging not only added subtle notes of vanilla, spice, and toast but also helped to integrate the tannins, resulting in a smoother, more rounded wine.

WINE

Boasting a deep, rich garnet color, signaling the depth and intensity of its profile. On the nose, this Cabernet Sauvignon exudes a complex bouquet of dark fruits like blackcurrant and blackberry, elegantly intertwined with notes of cedar, tobacco, and a hint of dark chocolate, adding layers of complexity and allure. The palate is full-bodied and robust, with a luxurious texture that envelops the mouth. The flavors of ripe dark cherries and plums are pronounced, supported by well-structured, velvety tannins that provide excellent backbone and aging potential. Subtle nuances of vanilla and spice from careful aging in French oak barrels enhance the complexity, leading to a long, opulent finish that leaves a lingering impression of elegance and refinement.

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