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2020 CABERNET SAUVIGNON RANCHOPEQUEÑOVINEYARD

THE VINTAGE

In 2020 the Napa Valley experienced a warm and dry winter with 50% less rainfall than the normal average, leading to an early budbreak and advanced growing season. This dry spring set the stage for excellent concentration and phenolic development in the berries. Mild weather during flowering led to a healthy fruit set, even though crop yields were a tad less than in 2019. A very warm summer led to full physiological ripeness that showcased intense fruits, but attentive picking decisions retained freshness and verve in the resulting wines.

TASTING NOTES

Dark and intense in nature but still a great time. Blackberry reduction, blackcurrant and blueberry reel you into this powerful wine. The huge amount of fruit on the nose is cut with pencil shavings, gravel and Indian spices. An incredibly sumptuous mouthfeel with loads of glycerol, this wine's dense texture is mouth coating but supported by a carriage of vibrant acidity.

PAIRINGS

A powerful and dynamic red wine perfect for pairing with porcinirubbed skirt steak, roasted pork tenderloin with figs, or your favorite cheese board.

TECHNICAL INFO

VARIETAL COMPOSITION 100% CABERNET SAUVIGNON

AVA OAKVILLE, NAPA VALLEY

AGING

22 MONTHS 24% NEW FRENCH OAK 76% NEUTRAL FRENCH OAK

> BOTTLING DATE AUGUST 1, 2022

> > ALCOHOL 13.7%

PRODUCTION 214 9-LITER CASES