



## 2021 CABERNET FRANC NAPA VALLEY

### THE VINTAGE

The 2021 growing season in Napa and Sonoma counties will be remembered by its exceptional quality and concentration of flavor. While there was hardly any rainfall in the late winter and spring months, this led to a moderate crop load on the vines that required less management to promote flavor. Heat spikes in the summer months were infrequent which allowed the small clusters and berries to ripen at a steady pace. A slightly earlier harvest than average, the 2021 Trois Noix wines are highly aromatic and rich in flavor and structure.

### TASTING NOTES

Grown in ideal soils for Cabernet Franc composed of silt, clay, and sand, our 2021 vintage is an ethereal expression of this majestic varietal. The nose is multilayered with dried violets, bl orange, deep blue and red fruits, and a classic tomato-leaf note that evolves into sage. Currently tasting oval-shaped and broad, the palate offers a rich texture that is balanced out by ample freshness and verve.

### PAIRINGS

Mushroom risotto, plum-glazed duck breast, or your favorite cheese board.

### TECHNICAL INFO

#### VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Cabernet Franc,

#### AVA

Napa Valley

#### AGING

Aged in 17% new French oak and 83% neutral French oak for 21 months

#### BOTTLING DATE

June 13, 2023

#### ALCOHOL

13.8%

#### PRODUCTION

144 9-liter cases