

DUCKHORN®

V I N E Y A R D S

2022 OAKVILLE NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Established in 1976 by renowned vintners Margaret and Dan Duckhorn, Duckhorn Vineyards is an iconic Napa Valley winery deeply rooted in a rich legacy of tradition. Renowned for its extraordinary Cabernet Sauvignon, the Oakville appellation is home to some of the world's greatest vineyards. This wine is a testament to the artistry and dedication that defines each vintage of our storied history.

VINTAGE NOTES

Winter and spring provided ample rain, which allowed the vines to set a generous crop with excellent canopies. Budbreak arrived a little over a week early, and we enjoyed warm, steady weather throughout spring and summer. We began picking Semillon, Sauvignon Blanc, and some Merlot as early as mid-August, but the first big push began after a Labor Day heat event, when our generous canopies paid dividends, helping shade the grapes. After a busy few weeks, a cool spell allowed the remaining grapes time to mature. To counter the impact of modest mid-September rains, we applied a careful fruit drop, and were equally diligent during sorting. Overall, harvest lasted eleven weeks, delivering wines with excellent concentration, supple tannins, lovely finesse and dynamic acidity.

WINEMAKING NOTES

This vintage of our Oakville Cabernet Sauvignon beautifully narrates the story of its exceptional terroir with each sip. It opens with inviting aromas of black Mission figs and a hint of dried thyme, embracing the distinctive character of the appellation. Oakville's cooling breeze and deep, mineral-rich soil further enhance the palate, showcasing layers of rich dark fruit and savory spice that culminate in a bright, vibrant finish.

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| APPELLATION | Napa Valley |
| SUB-APPELLATION | Oakville |
| VARIETAL COMPOSITION | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon |
| FERMENTATION & AGING | Aged 18 months in 100% French oak 75% new, 25% neutral |
| ALCOHOL | 14.5% |
| pH | 3.71 |
| ACIDITY | 0.57 g/100 ml |



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