



OAKVILLE

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2022 OAKVILLE WINERY CABERNET SAUVIGNON OAKVILLE · NAPA VALLEY

VINEYARD NOTES

The Cabernet Sauvignon for this wine is sourced from the Pelissa Vineyard, located in the heart of Oakville, Napa Valley. Nearly 70% of this 56.5-acre estate is dedicated to Cabernet Sauvignon, yet each block expresses its own identity through differences in vine age, irrigation, trellising, clone, and rootstock. Over the years, we've refined our understanding of the site, allowing us to isolate high-performing sections of specific blocks and harvest them separately to capture their distinct character. The 2022 growing season brought an early bud break, followed by a long, warm summer and a compact harvest window, which concentrated flavors while preserving natural acidity. Our oldest Cabernet blocks, planted in 1998 and dry-farmed, consist of clone BV-7 grafted to St. George rootstock. These mature vines provide structure and depth. More recent plantings feature our own Ghost Block clone on 3309C rootstock, contributing brightness and layered fruit.

TASTING NOTES

The 2022 Oakville Cabernet Sauvignon bursts with dark fruit intensity, showcasing ripe layers of blackberry, black cherry, and plum. Notes of cassis, raspberry and boysenberry add depth, while a touch of mixed peppercorns and dried florals keep the wine balanced and complex. On the palate, medium tannins frame the juicy bramble berry core, balanced by lively acidity that carries through to a polished and refined finish. Succulent dark berry and cherry flavors linger beautifully, highlighting the classic richness and vibrant fruit character of Oakville Cabernet.

TECHNICAL NOTES

Winemaker: *Lynn Watanabe*

Varietal Content: *100% Cabernet Sauvignon*

Vineyard: *100% Pelissa Vineyard, Oakville*

Alcohol Content: *14.5%*

Total Acidity: *5.99 g/L*

pH: *3.71*

Aging: *Aged 24 months in 50% new French oak barrels*

Release Information: *3,300 six-bottle packs; August 2025*