



Grand Reserve

2019 CABERNET SAUVIGNON SONOMA COUNTY

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

APPELLATIONS

90% Alexander Valley
9% Knights Valley
1% Napa Valley

COMPOSITION

86% Cabernet Sauvignon,
7% Merlot, 3% Cabernet Franc,
3% Malbec, 1% Petit Verdot

BARREL AGING

Aged 15 months in 80% French oak
(30% new) and 20% American oak

T. A.

0.56g/100ml

PH

3.65

ALCOHOL

14.5%



WINEMAKING PHILOSOPHY

Grand Reserve is a winemaker's blend of our mountain, ridge, hillside and benchland grapes grown along California's cool coastal appellations. We select grapes from our best estate vineyards and then monitor, taste and guide each individual lot throughout the winemaking process. Each lot is kept separate, barrel-aged and crafted—boutique winery style. Our winemakers have an unmatched palette of flavors, toast levels and terroir nuances from which they masterfully blend these exemplary rich, deep and complex wines.

EXPERIENCE THE DIFFERENCE

- 100% Jackson Estates Grown
- Grapes are sourced from lower-yielding, higher-elevation, estate blocks and vineyards
- Roughly 70% of the wine is from the same vineyard blocks year-to-year, ensuring greater consistency and enhanced complexity with each vintage
- Precision harvesting, sorting, de-stemming and pressing methods are utilized so the grapes are handled in the most delicate manner possible
- Pre-fermentation cold-soak adds layers of complexity by extracting a silkier tannin profile
- All our estate vineyards are certified sustainable by the CCSW (Certified California Sustainable Winegrowing) and SIP (Sustainability in Practice) programs
- Sonoma County estate fruit confers high toned red and black fruit with a distinct mineral edge to the wine, with a long, rich finish

VINTAGE PROFILE

In 2019 we had a very pleasant growing season; it was long and certainly warm enough to ripen the fruit fully. The winemaking team loves vintages with rich fruit character and balanced acidity.

WINEMAKER NOTES

“This Cabernet has distinct flavors of blackberry, blueberry, plus both red and black currants with enticing fragrances of mocha and nutmeg. Subtle notes of chocolate and toasty vanilla add to the richness and length of this bold Cab, and are accompanied by fine grained tannins on a lengthy finish.”

—RANDY ULLOM, WINEMASTER | SUSAN LUEKER, WINEMAKER



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