



# LABRY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

## RUTHERFORD, NAPA VALLEY 2020

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### VINTAGE NOTES

The start of the 2020 growing season was ideal with consistent and mild temperatures resulting in evenly developed clusters. Low rainfall over the winter season resulted in small, concentrated berries. An early bud break followed by a summer with very cool mornings and very warm days, led to a slightly early harvest.

### SOURCE

Labry Estate, Rutherford

### VINEYARD

All grapes are harvested from the Labry Estate property which lies on the southwest end of the Rutherford AVA just north of the Oakville AVA in the shadows of Mount St. John the tallest mountain in the Mayacamas Mountain Range. Our soils are made up of alluvial fan pushed down from the nearby mountains, as well as volcanic rock and ash dating back millions of years when the valley was laced with active volcanoes. The vines are now 28 years old and were planted by David Abreu and our vineyard row spacing is 6x5 feet.

### WINEMAKING

Gently basket pressed in a JLB press, F10 yeast, native malolactic fermentation and 28 days on skins in a stainless steel fermenter. Pump overs done with sprinklers and then inert racked three times during elevelage. Gravity flow and inert gasses are utilized in the winery as to not disturb or violently interact with the wine. Aged 22 months before it's bottled unfinned and unfiltered then laid to rest in bottle.

### TASTING NOTES

The 2020 Labry Cabernet Sauvignon is a beautiful force to be reckoned with. With even the most gentle of swirling, a bouquet of creamy milk chocolate, black cassis and anise notes coat the glass and awaken the senses. These aromas continue to open and develop, giving way to palate notes of tar, fresh cigar wrapper, forest floor and juicy blueberry cobbler. Supple tannins provide a luxurious mouthfeel and add layers of texture and weight while balanced acidity keeps this hedonistic wine fresh and lively. Expect a long silky finish that will stay with you long after the last sip is taken. Anticipate this wine aging gracefully over the next 15+ years.

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### VARIETAL

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

### SOIL TYPE

Alluvial and Volcanic

### CLONE

Cabernet Sauvignon #7

### ABV

14.8%

### AGING

Aged 22 months in 75% new, 25% once used thin stave, tight grain French oak barrels

### COOPERAGE

Taransaud Center of France- Medium Plus Toast

Ermitage Tronçais Forest- Medium Plus Toast

Baron Center of France- Premium Medium Plus Toast

Demptos Reserve Center of France- Medium Plus Toast

### PRODUCTION SIZE

37 Barrels



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