



2022 Cabernet Sauvignon

Monte Rosso Vineyard, Moon Mountain District

Vineyard Details

Vineyard	Monte Rosso
Planted	2016
Elevation	690-1300 Feet
Clone	337
Soil	Red Hill Clay Loam; Red Hill Series
Harvest	September 12 th

Winemaking Details

Barrel Aging	20 Months - 50% New French Oak barrels
pH	3.49
Alcohol	14.9%
Bottling	May 8, 2024
Production	50 Cases
Drinking Window	2025 - 2040

Growing Notes

Perched in the Mayacamas Mountains, 1000 feet above the Sonoma Valley, this site impresses year after year with 2021 being our inaugural vintage. Reddish volcanic soils filled with rock and iron speak clearly to its sense of place. Monte Rosso Vineyard was established in the early 1880's with vines going into the ground in 1886. The Cabernet Sauvignon that we source from this vineyard was planted in 2016.

We began the 2022 season with bud break starting in February and the rest of the growing season continuing to track on the early side. We started harvesting in late August and were completely finished picking by September 13th. Lighter-than-average yields also contributed to incredibly nuanced and intense flavor characteristics. Meticulous farming and careful winemaking techniques came together to make this vintage a stand-out year with each cluster reaching a beautiful level of ripeness and balance.

Tasting Notes

Aromas of blackberry compote, currant, and blueberry intermingle with clove, thyme, and cardamom. On the palate, just ripened juicy berries jump from the glass with bright fruit coming through. Tannins are fine, textured, and firm, with leather and oak notes providing structure and length, making this an elegant Cabernet Sauvignon.

