

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

NAPA VALLEY



VINTAGE 2011

The 2011 Napa Cabernet vintage began with an exceptional amount of rain throughout February and March. The spring and summer experienced cooler than normal temperatures, along with summer rains, which resulted in late flowering and smaller yields.

Also moderate temperatures lengthened ripening the fruit that can occur in mid- to late-summer. However warmer temperatures did finally arrive, and the 2011 vintage – combined with winemaker Miquel Caratachea's exceptional care – is rewarding us with herbal scents, intense earthy notes laced throughout fresh fruit on the palate and an underlying spicy, tannic layer.

Drink now or cellar for 8 years or longer.

81% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Merlot, 4% other red varietals Primarily Spring Mountain with some Mount Veeder and a small amount of Sonoma County Alcohol 14.5% Residual Sugar 0.30% Titratable Acidity 6.3g/L; pH 3.70 Fewer than 100 cases made Price: \$55.