



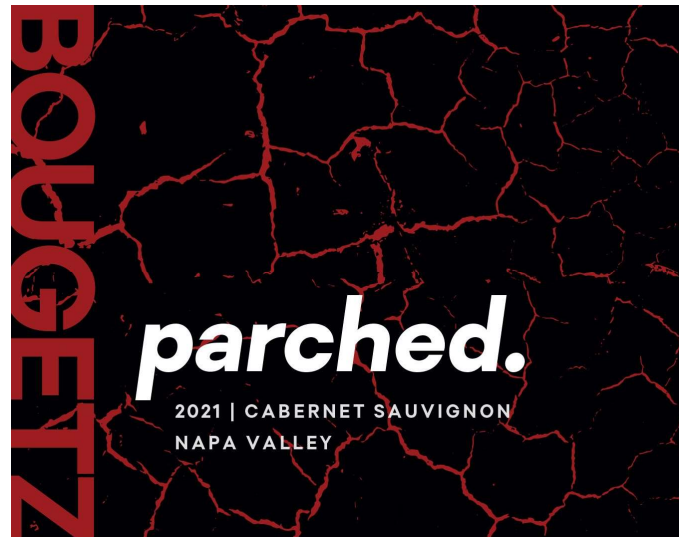
**2022 PARCHED. NAPA VALLEY
CABERNET SAUVIGNON**

WINEMAKER NOTES

The 2022 parched. Cabernet Sauvignon is a Bordeaux blend consisting of 80% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Merlot, and 2% Petit Verdot. The fruit for this wine is sourced throughout the Napa Valley with a good mix of mountain fruit along with valley floor fruit. The wine exhibits a dark, inky red color, with notes of black berry and cassis on the nose. Layered well with spice and toasty oak, this medium to full bodied wine will be quite pleasant from the start but will reward short term cellaring.

HARVEST NOTES

The 2022 growing season started out reasonably normal, leading into an early start to harvest. Then around late September we were hit with a 10 stretch over 100 degrees. This drove the sugar levels in early ripening reds very high, leaving some lots out of balance. Lots that ripened later didn't experience the problem, just ripening a week earlier than expected. The fruit was harvested at night between October 5th and October 25th.



Harvest date: October 5th, 2022 – October 25th, 2022

- Appellation: Napa Valley
- Brix at harvest: 24.1 – 26.8
- Crush: De-stemmed, 100% whole berry
- Fermentation: 14-day ferment
- Aging: 20 months, with 40% new French oak, 60% once used
- Alcohol: 13.9%
- pH: 3.72
- TA: 6.30 g/L
- Bottled: July 2024
- Case production: 759 cases
- Winemaker: Thomas Bougetz
- Suggested retail: \$59



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