

## 2021 Barrel Blend

Production: 2,357 cases
Composition: 34% Merlot, 15% Cabernet Sauvignon, 15% Zinfandel, 13% Malbec, 10% Petit
Sirah, 9% Syrah, 4% Cabernet Franc.
Vineyards: Windy Flats, Hansen, Clarke, Clarke, Baker, Beau Terroir, Stewart, Floisand and Villagio.
Elevation: Napa-Carneros and Oak Knoll mostly valley floor, Wooden Valley steep hillsides, Beau Terroir, rolling hills
Cooperage: 15% new French oak Aged 10 months in barrel
Alcohol: 15%, TA 6.5, pH 3.74
Bottling date: August 24, 2022
Release date: Winter 2025
Release price: \$35.00
Ratings: 91 points, James Suckling

2021 was a nice normal year, though rainfall was very scarce again, and crops were low, we are proud to present this Barrel Blend. The wine had some big tannins and took a few blending sessions to fit the pieces together, but the 2021 Barrel Blend will provide entertainment and pleasure for years to come.

## Winemaker Alison Doran's tasting notes:

A generous, creamy and dense red blend with notes of dark berries, dark plums, chocolate and grilled herbs. Full-bodied with creamy tannins and texture. Juicy with berries and a chocolatey finish.