

TWENTY BENCH

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

Twenty tons of superb Cabernet Sauvignon harvested from the benchland back in 2001 and dubbed “20 bench” by a cellar hand on the side of a barrel kicked off the Nine North Wine Company. For nearly 20 years now Twenty Bench has represented exceptional Cabernet Sauvignon from California's most renowned Vineyards in the North Coast region. This wine has soft and supple tannins offering up a balanced Cabernet that is perfectly suited for enjoying on his own or pairing with your favorite meal.

We work with a handful of California's most respected grape growers and wineries selecting the finest rows, plots, barrels, and lots from each vintage. We strive to blend these selections into wines that carefully balance ripeness and acidity and achieve both regional typicity along with unique and expressive flavors.

Twenty Bench Cabernet Sauvignon has a ripe black cherry core, twining with blackberry, a bit of oak on the nose and touch of vanilla. The mouth is dense, layered with juicy berries, chocolate and espresso. The wine is well-balanced and drinking well in its youth. You can enjoy this wine on its own, with grilled meats or burgers.

Technical information

Vintage: 2020

Appellation: North Coast

Vineyard Sites: Napa, Sonoma, Suisun Valley

Aging: Six months in American and French oak barrels.

Alcohol: 13.5%

TA: 5.1

pH: 3.91

RS: .39



Napa Valley Appellation: Enjoys a dry Mediterranean climate which encompasses just 2% of the Earth's surface which translates to consistency vintage after vintage. Within the Napa Valley AVA there are several areas that possess distinct microclimates and terrain imprinting recognizable characteristics on the grapes grown there.

Sonoma Appellation: Has a variety of climate and soil conditions throughout the region. The difference in climate and soil means the cooler climate grapes grow well in certain regions and in others, warm climate grapes are more suitable, like Cabernet.

Suisun Appellation: Approximately 3 by 8 miles, it has a semi coastal Mediterranean climate. Of its 15,000 Acres just 3,000 are planted to vineyards and a represented soil range from very thick Sycamore loam to thinner Rincon and Brentwood clay loam.