



2014 MOUNTAINEER RED WINE

HILLSIDE VINEYARDS, NAPA VALLEY

VARIETAL %

46% Syrah | 43% Cabernet Sauvignon
8% Petit Verdot | 3% Petite Sirah

WINE CHEMISTRY

pH 3.84 TA 6.4 g/L Alc 14.5%

HARVEST NOTES

The 2014 growing season was marked by kind weather, a few curveballs and an abundant crop. The winter was one of the driest on record, but heavy rains before bud break gave the vines a well timed drink. The dry winter produced berries smaller in size, but more concentrated with flavors, and an earlier than normal harvest showed immediate promise of high quality.

VINEYARDS

1880 Estate - Located at the winery, faces west from the side of Howell Mountain and has a slope averaging 27%. The soil is composed of "Tuff" a volcanic ash, allowing the vineyard to drain very well.

Haymaker - An eastern-facing mountain vineyard, located in a frost free zone between the valley floor and mountain top with ancient marine sedimentary soils

WINE DESCRIPTION

Complex aromas of boysenberry, gravel, earth and bouquet garni with red fruit essence that continually changes in the glass. Oceans of blueberry are the base of this full palate wine with cherry, raspberry, cola, cocoa, anise and strawberry notes. Savory, briary, dried flowers, full bodied and rich on the finish, this wine is incredibly smooth with good acidity.

CASES PRODUCED 887

RELEASE DATE *Winter 2020*

WINERY PRICE \$120

Burgess Cellars has been creating world-class hillside wines since 1972. Located in the Napa Valley on the celebrated Howell Mountain, the Burgess family has been dedicated to producing exceptional quality estate fruit that results in refined, balanced wines with expressive aromas and rich flavors.



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