

BURGESS CELLARS

2014 TOPOGRAPHY RED BLEND

VINEYARDS //

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QUARTZ CREEK VINEYARD

MERLOT

- Originally purchased in 1979 by Tom Burgess, located on the foothills of the Mayacamas in the Oak Knoll District.
- The soils are comprised of an alluvial fan that has swept down from the Mayacamas, along with uplifted marine sediments, and a high proportion of quartz.

HAYMAKER VINEYARD

MALBEC, PETIT VERDOT AND SYRAH

- Acquired by Burgess Cellars in 1987, Haymaker Vineyard sits on the east facing side of Howell Mountain, with a slope averaging 20%.
- Soil composition mirrors our southwest facing estate vineyard, with bands of uplifted marine sediments.

TASTING NOTES //

The goal of Topography is to find a balance between the ripe concentration of valley floor vineyards and the structure and finesse of hillside vineyards. Topography has flavors and aromas of tart black cherry and raspberry liqueur. The palate highlights eucalyptus, dark chocolate, and a tart grippy finish.



TECHNICAL CHARACTERISTICS

AGING REGIMEN: Aged for 18 months in 100% neutral oak barrique

ALCOHOL: 13.8%

AVA: Napa Valley

FERMENTATION: All components fermented separately in stainless steel

VARIETAL COMPOSITION: 62% Merlot, 20% Malbec, 10% Petit Verdot, 8% Syrah