



Cabernet Sauvignon
2021





# WILLOWBENCH VINEYARD

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California

### **TASTING NOTES:**

Willowbench Cabernet Sauvignon, primarily sourced from Lodi with additional fruit from Lake Winchester and Clarksburg, offers a medium-bodied wine with a rich, juicy palate. Soft, polished tannins and a pleasing, flavorful finish make it versatile and enjoyable.

#### **APPELLATION:**

California's moderate climate and diverse terroir create numerous distinct AVAs. Known for its abundant sunshine and extended growing season, the state is a premier winemaking region. Nearly 100 American Viticultural Areas (AVAs) span over half a million vineyard acres, supporting a wide range of varietals.

#### **AROMAS:**

Lifted aromas of boysenberry, blackberry, violets, and leather swirl from the glass. These primary scents are complemented by subtle notes of dried lavender, adding depth to the bouquet.

#### **FLAVORS:**

The palate reveals lush flavors of pomegranate and cherry. This Cabernet Sauvignon is blended with a small amount of other red grapes, adding softness and rounding out the final blend. Aging in French and American oak for 12 months contributes to its complexity.

#### **FOOD PAIRINGS:**

This Cabernet Sauvignon pairs excellently with grilled meats, hearty stews, and rich pasta dishes. It also complements hard cheeses and dishes with robust flavors, making it a versatile choice for various cuisines.

## **PRODUCTION NOTES:**

VINTAGE	2021
APPELLATION	California
BLEND	77.3% Cabernet Sauvignon, 11.3% Petite Sirah, 11.4% Mixed Red
ABV	13.5%