



## 2019 Grassi Estate Cabernet Sauvignon Napa Valley

### Vineyard:

The Grassi Estate Vineyard was planted in 2001 with the intention of making wines that we enjoy. Focusing on bright fruit characteristics, and elegance without high alcohol and overly extracted qualities. The vineyard is located on Soda Canyon Road and is comprised of Cabernet Sauvignon (Clones 337,4 and 6), Merlot (Clone 314), and Cabernet Franc (Clone 4).

### Tasting Notes:

The 2019 Cabernet is a great example of another great vintage here in Napa. The wine is dark in color with an elegant but powerful nose full of dark fruit, spices, and mountain sage. The wine is full-bodied with excellent tension, notes of black cherry, graphite and mountain herbs, and a hint of fruit sweetness. Silky yet firm tannin structure gives the wine a great length. The wine is a great showcase of the property, to drink now and in the next 15+ years.

– Maayan Koschitzky, Winemaker

“Grassi is one of my favorite under-the-radar producers in Napa Valley. The estate excels with both Ribolla Gialla – a white grape native to Italy’s Friuli – and Cabernet Sauvignon. Best of all, the wines remain very fairly priced considering the quality of what is in the glass.” – Antonio Galloni, *Vinous*

### Technical Details:

Varietals:	91% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9% Cabernet Franc
Vineyard:	Grassi Estate
Aging:	20 months in 100% French oak, 60% new oak
Harvest Date:	October 10, 2019
Winemaking:	Each of our blocks were fermented in a stainless steel tank, the Cab Franc co-fermented with one of the Cabernet Sauvignon blocks.
ABV:	14.2%
pH:	3.8
TA:	6.3 g/L
Cases:	270
SRP:	\$90/bt.