



RAMEY

Cabernet Sauvignon

NAPA VALLEY

VINEYARDS

Appellation	Napa Valley
Sub AVAs	36% Oak Knoll, 22% Diamond Mountain, 22% Saint Helena, and 20% Napa Valley
Soil	Napa Valley soils are primarily composed of broken down or decomposed rock that has been carried downhill from the eastern Vaca range and the western Mayacamas range into the base of the valley where they intermingle with the silt, clay, and gravel deposits of the Napa River flood plain.

VINTAGE

Growing Season	The 2009 vintage came close to ideal, with steady, moderate temperatures throughout the growing season and no desiccating heat spikes.
Brix Harvest Dates	23.8° average September 14 though October 23

WINEMAKING

Varietal Composition	97% Cabernet Sauvignon, 1% Cabernet Franc, 1% Petit Verdot, and 1% Merlot
Fermentation	Native-yeast and full malolactic fermentations
Aging	Aging sur lies with bi-monthly bâtonnage coats the tannins and integrates the wood. The 2009 vintage matured 24 months in 65% new oak (a mixture of French and American). Non-filtered
Cases Release Date	3,073 February 2013
Alcohol	14.5%

This appellation Cabernet is blended from a combination of hillside and valley floor vineyards. Our style combines the harmony produced by traditional Bordelaise winemaking techniques with the voluptuousness gained from California's weather.
- David Ramey
