

## DRY CREEK VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON

800-1100 FEET

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SOILS

THIN, ROCKY, IRON RICH BENCHLANDS AND HILLSIDES



## DRY CREEK VALLEY TERROIR AND CABERNET SAUVIGNON

The Dry Creek Valley is an undiscovered gem, producing some of the finest Cabernet Sauvignon in California.

Primarily known for Zinfandel, the valley has nearly as many acres planted to Cabernet Sauvignon. Our region's unique terroir provides just the right growing conditions. Much of the Cabernet grown in our appellation is planted on sharply terraced hillside vineyards on the western slopes and eastern benchlands of the valley. The iron-rich soils of the Dry Creek Valley are rocky and low in vigor, creating a stressed environment that produces small berries with thick skins.

This prized fruit gives rich color and body to our wines. A perfect microclimate with long days of vibrant sunshine and cool foggy evenings allows for exquisitely ripened Cabernet Sauvignon grapes. Morning sun warms the vines and the orientation of the vineyards protects the grapes from the heat of the afternoon sun. Bright cherry fruit framed by floral and spice elements create a wine that speaks to the distinctive soil and growing conditions in our appellation.

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