

MAYACAMAS



2022 RED WINE – MT. VEEDER, NAPA VALLEY

High on the slopes of Mount Veeder, Mayacamas Vineyards has been a source of legendary California wine since 1889. Since the 1950's the vinification and élevage of Mayacamas remains remarkably consistent and our continued commitment to employ classical techniques and tools is integral to the character of these wines. The mountain terroir at Mayacamas ranges from 1,800 to 2,400 feet in elevation and the estate spans 475 acres, only 50 of which are dedicated to vine.

APPELLATION: Mt. Veeder

VARIETAL: Cabernet Sauvignon,
Cabernet Franc & Merlot

ALCOHOL: 14%

TASTING NOTES & WINEMAKING

The 2022 'Red Wine' shows aromatic depth and precision, with layered notes of cherry, black plum, and ripe cranberry. The fruit is lifted by accents of graphite, bay laurel, and fresh tobacco, adding savory complexity. The palate is firm and focused, supported by fine-grained tannins and bright acidity, leading to a long, saline finish.

The 2022 'Red Wine' is a Cabernet Sauvignon-driven blend, complemented by Cabernet Franc and Merlot. Harvested by varietal between late August and mid-September, the fruit was hand-sorted and destemmed before fermenting on skins for an average of 19 days. The wine underwent 30 months of aging: 20 months in neutral large-format vessels including foudre and 500L puncheons, followed by 10 months in concrete and neutral 225L barrels.

