

# BLUEPRINT CABERNET SAUVIGNON Vintage 2022, Napa Valley



### 94 Points

"The structure and concentration are impressive, with layers of lush dark fruit accented by a touch of underlying acidity that brings a refreshing energy to each sip, lingering through the long finish. Altogether, this is an excellent value Cabernet that will be accessible early and should also have a nice evolution over the next decade."

-International Wine Report

### 93 Points

"Sourced from 11 different sites in the Napa Valley, Lail's 2022 Cabernet Sauvignon Blueprint is a fine value, sometimes available locally (in Napa) at a discount to the quoted suggested retail price. Sophisticated aromas of crushed stone and dried herbs accent mixed red and black cherries on the nose, plus there's an appealing, savory hint of dusty earth. Medium to full-bodied, the wine exhibits a silky feel and mouthwatering acids on the palate. Drink this easy-drinking vintage over the next decade or so."

—Joe Czerwinski, Robert Parker Wine Advocate

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BLUEPRINT

"The 2022 Blueprint Cabernet Sauvignon is a blend of 97% Cabernet Sauvignon and 3% Petit Verdot. Deep garnet-purple colored, it comes tearing out with gregarious notes of blackcurrant jelly, dried herbs, and juicy raspberries, leading to hints of pencil lead and baking spices. Medium to full-bodied, the palate delivers impressive brightness commingled with ripe, juicy black fruit flavors, supported by grainy tannins and bold freshness, finishing with a minty lift."

-Lisa Perrotti-Brown, M.W., The Wine Palate

#### BLUEPRINT STORY

In February 2019, Robin Lail was made the U.S. Representative to the Porto Protocol, a global initiative asking companies to demonstrate their leadership on climate action and share best practices. Our Blueprint wines celebrate these pioneers and architects of innovation for putting the health of our planet ahead of quarterly reports and the bottom line. At Lail Vineyards we invite you to do the same. Make a commitment. Inspire your neighbor.

PARTNERS | Robin Daniel Lail, Erin Lail, Shannon Lail

VARIETAL | 97% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Petit Verdot

VINEYARDS | Calistoga Rutherford

Coombsville Stags Leap District

Howell Mountain Yountville

Oakville

BARREL REGIMEN | 17 months in French oak barrels, 65% new

WINEMAKERS | Philippe Melka & Maayan Koschitzky

PRODUCTION | 2586 cases