



BRION



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INAUGURAL RELEASE

LONGHORN

CABERNET SAUVIGNON

VINEYARDS OF UPPER RANGE, NAPA VALLEY



“Longhorn shows a definite mountain profile—a lot of structure and texture, a lot of darkness. For me, it’s *mountain*: very masculine... raw and powerful. With this, we’re being mindful of the management of oak and lengths of aging. But we don’t do too much magic; we’re very classic. This is a place that didn’t have vines before, so at eight years from planting, we’re at full discovery, which is very exciting.”

—Julien Fayard, WINEMAKER

100% CABERNET SAUVIGNON

ACREAGE: 13.24 ACRES :: CLONES: 4, 7, 15, 33, 169

RHYOLITE/ANDESITE VOLCANIC SOILS :: HILLSIDE SLOPE :: 560 TO 750 FEET

VACA RANGE, WEST TO NORTHWEST FACING

2021 VINTAGE :: 14.6% ALCOHOL :: 14 BARRELS

WINEMAKER: JULIEN FAYARD

FRESH FRUIT AROMATICS MINGLED WITH BAKED BLUEBERRY PIE FLAVORS. LIFT OF BRISK ACIDITY WITHIN FIRM, TEXTURED TANNINS. CLASSIC HILLSIDE INFLUENCE.

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