

Napanook



Upon his discovery of the 134-acre Napanook vineyard in 1981, Christian Moueix founded Dominus Estate to produce one of Napa Valley's most acclaimed cabernet sauvignons. The vineyard's volcanic, well-draining soils are specifically suited to growing Bordeaux varietals, and winemaker Tod Mostero vinifies each dry-farmed parcel separately. Attention to detail is second to none, with minimal intervention allowing the terroir to fully express itself in the wine.



CHRISTIAN MOUEIX

Founder & Owner

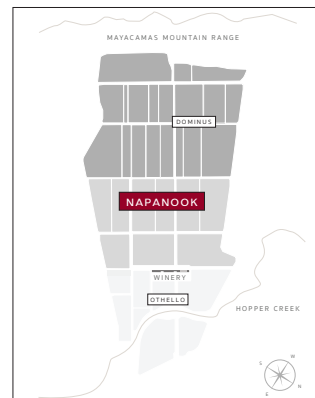
One of the most respected wine producers in the world, Christian Moueix is on a personal journey that began in Bordeaux and continues today at Dominus Estate. Christian Moueix is ardently committed to responsible stewardship of the land and his respect for the history of Napanook vineyard is conveyed in a property that is improved for future generations.

WINEMAKING

- Temperate climate and dry farming for deep-rooted vines
- Precise pruning and cluster thinning for optimal ripeness
- Grapes rinsed pre-harvest; hand-picked with care
- Minimal intervention to preserve vineyard character
- Lot-by-lot fermentation; gentle extraction techniques
- Aged in 100% French oak with careful racking

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- Volcanic, well-drained soils
- Gravel and clay loam soils.
- Pure, sculpted, seductive.
- Immediately enjoyable and wonderful with age.



2021 VINTAGE

- Dry winter and spring with only 14" of rain (vs. 31" average)
- Second consecutive year of drought since January 2020
- Warm, consistent temperatures throughout the growing season
- Early water stress produced small berries with high phenolics and intense aromas

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"This is easily the finest vintage I've tasted of this cuvée and it's the equivalent of many a Grand Vin from other producers."
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VARIETALS:

92% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot