

ACUMEN

Napa Valley

2019 PEAK CABERNET SAUVIGNON ATLAS PEAK, NAPA VALLEY ESTATE GROWN

With every vintage of our PEAK wines, our goal is to craft consummate expressions of our organically-farmed estate vineyards on the high mountain slopes of Napa Valley's acclaimed Atlas Peak. To preserve the complexity of our vineyards, and ensure that we have numerous lots to choose from during blending, we individually ferment each block and varietal. Combining the energy and elegance of our AttelasVineyard with the opulence and intensity of Edcora, our PEAK Cabernet Sauvignon brings together the most compelling and complementary blocks and barrels of wine from our two estate vineyards.



2019 VINTAGE

2019 was quite similar to the "Winemaker's Dream Vintage" of 2018. Following winter rains that saturated the soils, the vines coming out of dormancy had ample water to ensure a healthy budbreak. The growing season brought cooler-than-average temperatures throughout spring and summer. This, and the absence of any notable heat events during berry formation, ensured ideal flavor development. As a result, our 2019 wines offer exceptional energy and depth, with beautifully articulated varietal flavors and a subtle underlying power that reflects their mountain origins.

WINEMAKER: Phillip Titus
COMPOSITION: 95% Cabernet Sauvignon and 5% Malbec
AGING: 80% New French oak
CLONES: Clone 4, 169 and 337 Cabernet Sauvignon, Clone 595 Malbec
ALCOHOL: 14.5%
PRODUCTION: 410 cases produced

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POINTS

An outstanding wine of exceptional complexity and character.

"The 2019 Cabernet Sauvignon Peak is a blend of 90% Cabernet Sauvignon and 10% Malbec. Deep garnet-purple colored, it is a little closed to begin, opening to reveal notes of baked black cherries, warm cassia and cedar chest plus hints of cardamom and crushed rocks. Full-bodied, taut and muscular with grainy tannins and seamless freshness, it finishes with a mineral lift."

- Lisa Perrotti-Brown. October 29, 2021. Wine Advocate

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2019 Acumen PEAK Estate Cabernet Sauvignon – 91 Points: Outstanding

"Fruity nose of raspberries, currants, brambles, wild mushrooms, dried leaves, violets and olives. Full-bodied with vibrant acidity and fine-grained tannins. Fragrant and fresh. Drink from 2023."

- James Suckling