

2020 MERLOT

The dedication of the Trefethen family is manifest in every aspect of our operation, from the soil to the table, including sustainable farming, thoughtful winemaking, and gracious hospitality.

THE VINTAGE

The growing season began early after a very dry winter that included only half of our typical rainfall. The summer was sunny and pleasant, our warmest since 2003, and the harvest began a few weeks earlier than usual. The wines from this vintage feature concentrated flavors and our signature brightness on the palate.

THE WINE

Aromas of plum, raspberry and cherry are layered with earthy tones of mushroom, sage and pine. Soft on the palate, flavors of black cherry and red plum with notes of dark chocolate lead to a bright finish.

FOOD AFFINITIES

Try this wine with fatty dishes. Red meats and flavor-forward ingredients like cooked tomatoes will deliciously complement this wine's brightness and fine-grained tannins.



VARIETAL 92% Merlot 5% Malbec

APPELLATION

3% Cabernet Franc

Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley

ESTATE VINEYARD

100% Main Ranch

HARVEST

September 2-28

OAK

18 months, 5% new

ALCOHOL

14.1%





