

ARGOT



2019 CABERNET SAUVIGNON SUGARLOAF VINEYARD, NAPA VALLEY

WINE NOTES A vineyard we have adored working with since 2010. One block. One selection. Our latest harvest each vintage. As such, Sugarloaf turns out supremely classic wines.

In youth, structured and firm in its fruitfulness; with time in the cellar, the benefit of aging is unmistakable.

VINEYARD From Block 6, three-quarters of an acre of fiercely steep, ferociously rocky hillside, located in Napa's far south-eastern foothills, deeply affected by the cooling influences of San Pablo Bay. An extreme site where aggressive farming is a must to achieve optimal ripeness.

WINEMAKER NOTES *Sugarloaf's terroir continues to impress with its expression of classically-styled Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignons — impeccably pure black and red fruit character; broad, rich, perfectly ripe tannins; notes of cigar leaf, eucalyptus, and freshly-tilled earth; definitive complexities of clove, all-spice and bay leaf. Having assessed past vintages with some age, we have come to greatly value the significant reward this bottling delivers after a few years in the cellar.*

PRESS *'A stunning, true-blue Napa blockbuster with its own very evocative signature!'* -97+pts, Wine Advocate

VINTAGE

2019

CUVEE

100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Clones: 337

HARVEST

Oct 26

PRICE

\$150

FERMENT

Native yeast
Destemmed

BARRELS

French Oak, 100% new

ELEVAGE

22 months
Never Racked

PRODUCTION

175 cases