



PAST VINTAGES

Sauvignon Blanc 2021

CSPC# 874529

750mlx12

14.2% alc./vol.

Grape Variety 100% Sauvignon Blanc

Winemaker Richie Allen

General Info This Sauvignon Blanc has quickly become a Rombauer Vineyards signature favorite. Consistently adored by both critics and consumers.

Vintage There were light rains in January and February and then no notable precipitation occurred for the rest of the growing season. This allowed the fruit to flower and set beautifully, leading into a warm summer without major heat spikes. Sustainable farming practices throughout the growing season were tailored to each block with the assistance of aerial photos produced using NDVI (Normalized Difference Vegetation Index) technology. An early harvest, we started picking Sauvignon Blanc on August 10th, 12 days earlier than the 2020 vintage.

Harvest Aug. 10–Sept. 13, 2021

Vineyards The fruit for this wine comes from premium growing sites in Sonoma and Napa counties that offer abundant sunshine yet moderate temperatures—ideal conditions for cultivating delicious Sauvignon Blanc. 58% Sonoma County, 42% Napa County.

Winemaking Picked at night, the grapes were gently whole cluster pressed while the fruit was still cool. The majority of the juice was fermented in stainless steel tanks, while the remainder fermented in a combination of French oak barrels and concrete tanks, imparting weight and texture to the finished wine. The wine was bottled with a screw cap closure to preserve the freshness and vibrancy found in this Sauvignon Blanc. 86% Stainless steel tanks, 10% neutral French oak, 4% concrete tanks.

Tasting Notes Punchy and vibrant aromas of passionfruit, white peach, and nectarine jump out of the glass, underscored by hints of fresh cut grass and kaffir lime. The palate, tightly focused and vibrant, features notes of juicy white peach with gooseberry and ripe grapefruit present as well. Its signature acidity is mouthwatering and memorable, leaving you wanting another glass.

Serve with Our favorite Joy of Cooking® pairings for this wine include Oysters on the Half-Shell with Mignonette Sauce, Black Cod Misozuke, Niçoise Salad, and Crab Cakes.

Production 30,632 cases made

Scores/Awards **90 points** - MaryAnn Worobiec, Wine Spectator - Web Only - July 2022

90 points - Wilfred Wong, Wine.com - February 2022

Reviews *“Crisp, clean and bursting with intensity to the Bartlett pear, lime sorbet and fresh ginger flavors, with lingering details of lemon blossom and orange zest. Drink now. 30,632 cases made.”*
- MW, WineSpectator.com

“The 2021 Rombauer Vineyards Sauvignon Blanc is lively, bright, and crisp. This wine shines with aromas and flavors of tangy citrus and tart apple flavors. Enjoy with fresh tuna and salmon sashimi.”
- WW, Wine.com

