



2022 Red Rock Terrace

Planted in 1968, Diamond Creek Vineyards produces single-vineyard Cabernet Sauvignons that changed the destiny of Napa Valley wines.

Red Rock Terrace (7 acres) is a hillside vineyard with a north-facing aspect, centered around an old vine terraced site. The rocky, volcanic soils contain high amounts of iron that have weathered to form a deep red hue. Temperatures are moderated by the northern exposure.

"Diamond Creek's fiftieth anniversary harvest! The third of three relatively dry years, 2022 brought us yields even lower than what we saw on the estate in 2021, which was already the lowest in decades. An unusually warm early September pushed harvest to its earliest start (and finish) on record at Diamond Creek, wrapping up with cooler weather at the end of the month. Once again we saw the small berries and concentrated juices we expect from low yielding vintages, offering wines with extraordinary texture and depth of flavor."

- Graham Wehmeier, Winemaker and Vineyard Director

- Harvested September 12th to September 26th, 2022
- Hand picked and sorted, gravity fed to a combination of small open top tanks
- 12 to 19 day skin contact, followed by 19 months elevage in French oak barrels
- Blend: 94% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Merlot
- Notes (May 2025): Characterized by vibrant fruit and floral intensity. Appealing and delicious, while still intricately layered, waiting to reveal more in the years to come. 398 cases produced.

