



OPUS ONE

FOUNDED IN 1978, OPUS ONE is the shared vision of Baron Philippe de Rothschild, legendary proprietor of Château Mouton Rothschild, and renowned Napa Valley vintner Robert Mondavi. By combining the great winemaking traditions and innovations of both families, the founders' singular goal was to create an exceptional wine in the heart of Napa Valley.

Opus One, like any great work, arose out of passion. Dedicated to uncompromised quality, Opus One's sole purpose is to express this vision and passionate spirit for generations to come.



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2021

The vineyards experienced dry conditions with the second lowest rainfall in Opus One's history. The team took advantage of the dryness to cultivate early to avoid competition for limited water. Cooler temperatures and late March rains arrived in time for delayed bud-break on April 7th. Warmer weather in April and May allowed for ideal shoot growth; flowering began on May 17th. Reduced water led to smaller yields, giving exceptional concentration and flavor. Harvest began on August 31st and completed on September 24th.

The Opus One 2021 effuses seductive, dark-fruit aromas of crushed cassis and blackberry with hints of violet, vanilla, and baking spices. Bright on the attack, concentrated flavors mirror the aromas and are coupled with a creamy texture mid-palate from the fine-grained tannins. Poignant notes of black tea, licorice, and dark chocolate lead to a long lingering finish.

VARIETALS:

Cabernet Sauvignon 93%

Cabernet Franc 4%

Petit Verdot 2%

Merlot .5%

Malbec .5%

SKIN CONTACT:

19 days

BARREL AGING:

19.5 months in new French oak