



2003 Buckeye Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon

Tasting Notes

The nose of the 2003 Buckeye consists of milk chocolate, cherry liqueur and graham cracker. The palate has flavors of raspberry, sweet vanillin and toast. Drink now or over the next few years.

Wine	2003 Buckeye Vineyard
Appellation	100% Howell Mountain, Napa Valley
Varietal	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Production	403 cases
Harvest Date	October 20/24, 2003
Oak	100% French, 75% new
Barrel Aging	20 months
Alcohol	14.5%
Winemaker	Cary Gott
Vineyard manager	Piña Vineyard Management
Acreage	5.77 acres
History of vineyard	Acquired by Piña family in 1996
Planted in	1997
Vines	6,589 vines
Clones/Rootstock	4 on 110R, 7 on 101-14
Spacing	5x8 & 4x4
Aspect	Southeast
Soil description	Aiken loam and Boomer Forward Felta Complex
Soils	Rocky, limited depth
Slopes	Variable to 18% slope