



Girard

2021 MIXED WHITES WHITE WINE BLEND, NORTH COAST

VINTAGE NOTES

The growing season started with a wet January and February, then nearly no rain for the remainder of the season. The dry weather resulted in early spring budbreak, followed by early flowering, bloom, and fruit set. Calm spring and summer temperatures with no concerning heat spikes allowed for even veraison in July. Due in part to continued drought conditions the yields were naturally lower resulting in optimal ripening of intensely concentrated and very flavorful berries.

VINEYARD NOTES

As an exciting surprise, the 2021 vintage afforded us the first opportunity to include fruit from our Girard Calistoga estate vineyard to craft this fan-favorite field blend white wine. The blend also includes fruit from select vineyards throughout the North Coast, each prized for their high-quality fruit and the unique flavor and aromatic characteristics they lend to the blend.

TASTING NOTES

This lively sipper is vibrant with aromatics of white peach, nectarine, lemon zest and hints of honeysuckle. On the palate the wine is medium-bodied and very refreshingly balanced between a creamy texture, minerality, fresh fruit and juicy acidity leading to a citrus and green apple kissed finish.

ABOUT THIS WINE

A white wine complement to our ever-popular Mixed Blacks. When immigrants first settled in California, they brought with them cuttings from their villages and planted what would later become known as “field blends”. Harvested and blended together, they were common before the rise of single varietal wines. Much harder to find today, they are our tribute to a California winemaking tradition.

VARIETAL COMPOSITION A field blend of Viognier, Marsanne, & Roussanne

APPELLATION North Coast | **AGING** Rested in a combination of stainless steel and neutral barrels

ALCOHOL 14.2% | **pH** 3.41 | **TA** 4.6 g/L | **RS** 0.6 g/L | **PRODUCTION** 263 cases