



# TIMBRE

WINERY

## THE CLASSICS

2020 BORDEAUX BLEND

**THE CLASSICS** AS SOON AS THE FIRST BARS BLAST FROM THE RADIO YOU START TAPPING THE STEERING WHEEL. YOU KNOW EVERY WORD, EVERY BEAT, AND YOU DON'T STOP ROCKING UNTIL THE LAST NOTE. THAT IS THIS WINE. THE FIVE BORDEAUX VARIETIES THAT MAKE UP THE MOST FAMOUS BLENDS OF THEM ALL. 56% CABERNET SAUVIGNON, 20% CABERNET FRANC, 20% MERLOT, 2% MALBEC, AND 2% PETIT VERDOT.



**TIMBRE** is the “color” of music. It is what makes two voices sound different, even when singing the same song. It is why two winemakers, working with the same vineyards, make unique wine. As a terroir-driven winery, we make wines expressive of the places and times from which they came. As winemakers, we channel those sites through our experience, adding our own mark—our TIMBRE—to the resulting wines.

Founded by Joshua Klapper, TIMBRE WINERY is the culmination of years of hard work, and dedication to our craft. It is winemaking expressed through the universal language of musical sound.

### AVA AND VINTAGE NOTES

2020 was generally hot and marked by heat waves and uncontrollable wildfires across California. Fortunately, Santa Barbara County was spared the worst and we had almost no effect from the fires which wreaked havoc in other parts of the state. Decent winter rain and a warm summer allowed the vines to grow nicely, and a week of extreme heat in mid-September pushed the grapes to full maturity. While crop levels were low, concentrated flavors and grippy tannins abound in this very high quality vintage.

### TASTING NOTES

Bordeaux is known for blends from 5 main varieties and this wine has all of them. 56% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Cabernet Franc, 20% Merlot, 2% Malbec, and 2% Petit Verdot. is the breakdown. Dark red this wine is rich and velvety. The palate is voluptuous and fleshy with ripe and fruity elements. Blackberry and cassis, as well as structured tannins lead to a long and balanced finish.

### TECHNICAL DATA

VINTAGE // **2020**

VARIETAL // **56% CABERNET SAUVIGNON, 20% CABERNET FRANC, 20% MERLOT, 2% MALBEC, AND 2% PETIT VERDOT.**

VINEYARD // **BRAVE & MAIDEN, TOMMY TOWN, VOGELZANG**

REGION // **SANTA BARBARA COUNTY**

SOIL TYPE // **SANDY LOAM**

HARVEST DATE // **THROUGHOUT SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER 2020**

HARVEST BRIX // **26**

PH // **3.76**

TA (G/100ML) // **0.55**

ALCOHOL // **15%**

MALO-LACTIC FERMENTATION // **100%**

ÉLEVAGE // **100% BARREL AGED 22 MONTHS**

COOPERAGE // **20% NEW FRENCH OAK**

BOTTLING DATE // **8/1/2022**

CASE PRODUCTION // **20 BARRELS**

AGING POTENTIAL // **NOW-2030+**

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**TIMBRE** (TAM • bər or TIM • bər) The character or quality of a musical sound as distinct from its pitch and intensity.