

How Much Water is in Your Wine?

Dry farming does not mean you simply turn off the faucet. It requires strategic and long-term thinking about where you plant, row orientation, vine density, training the vines early to root deep, hand-cutting superficial roots, and skillful pruning. Shifting an established vineyard to dry farming isn't easy. But think, just one irrigation of our 100-acre estate would use one million gallons of water. We aren't just conserving this resource, but building soil health and vine resilience. Does care and stewardship translate into wine quality? I think so. And what about social sustainability? The average tenure of our vineyard crew is 20 years. I've been at Dominus Estate 15 years and I'm one of the newest to the team. I am proud of our being selected as Wine Spectator's #1 Wine of the Year, but there is so much more to do. Last year we achieved organic certification. This spring we will be among the first five Napa Green Certified Vineyards. And I've committed to be a mentor and support growers who want to dry farm their vineyards. **–Tod Mostero, Director of Viticulture & Winemaking, Dominus Estate**

NAPA GREEN CERTIFIED WINERIES: Accendo Cellars, ADAMVS, Alpha Omega, Amici Cellars, Artesa Vineyards & Winery, Ashes & Diamonds, Ballentine Vineyards, Bennett Lane Winery, Beringer Vineyards, Blackbird Vineyards, Boeschon Vineyards, Bouchaine Vineyards, BRAND Napa Valley, CADE Estate Winery, Cakebread Cellars, Cardinale, Castello di Amorosa, Chateau Boswell Winery, Chimney Rock Winery, Cliff Lede Vineyards, Clos Du Val, Conn Creek Winery, Covert Estate, Crocker & Starr Wines, Cuvaison, Dalla Valle Vineyards, Domaine Carneros, Domaine Chandon, **Dominus Estate**, Etude, Far Niente Winery, Frank Family Vineyards, Gamble Family Vineyards, Grgich Hills Estate, Hagafen Cellars, Handwritten Wines, Hyde Estate Winery, Jessup Cellars, Joseph Phelps Vineyards, Judd's Hill Winery, Larkmead Vineyards, Markham Vineyards, Mathera | Cunat Family Vineyards, Merryvale Vineyards, Mumm Napa, Nickel & Nickel, O'Brien Estate, Odette Estate Winery, Peju Winery, Peter Paul Wines, Phifer Pavitt Wine, Pine Ridge Vineyards, Porter Family Vineyards, Priest Ranch, Provenance Vineyards, Raymond Vineyards, RD Winery, Robert Biale Vineyards, Robert Craig Winery, Rombauer Vineyards, Rutherford Hill Winery, Salvestrin, Schramsberg Vineyards, Schweiger Vineyards, Seavey Vineyard, Sequoia Grove Winery, Silenus Winery, Silver Oak, Sloan Estate, Somerston Estate, St. Supéry Estate Vineyards & Winery, Stag's Leap Wine Cellars, Sutter Home Winery, The Caves at Soda Canyon, The Prisoner Wine Company, Trefethen Family Vineyards, Truchard Vineyards, Turnbull Wine Cellars, Twomey Cellars, Viader Vineyards & Winery, Wheeler Farms Winery, Whitehall Lane, Young Inglenook Vineyards, ZD Wines

NAPA GREEN VINEYARDS (In Transition): Antica Napa Valley - Antinori Family Wine Estate, B Cellars, Baldacci Family Vineyards, Bergman Family Vineyards, Cain Vineyard & Winery, Cakebread Cellars, Chimney Rock Winery, Clif Family Winery, Cliff Lede Vineyards, **Dominus Estate**, Gamble Family Vineyards, Gemstone Vineyard, Grgich Hills Estate, Hourglass, Hyde Estate Winery, Ilesley Vineyards, Inglenook, Jericho Canyon Vineyard, Larkmead Vineyards, Phifer Pavitt Wine, Pine Ridge Vineyards, Raymond Vineyards, Rutherford Hill Winery, Rudd Estate, Saltiel Vineyards, Salvestrin, Sequoia Grove Winery, Shafer Vineyards, Silver Oak, Somerston Estate, St. Supéry Estate Vineyards Winery, Trefethen Family Vineyards, Tres Sabores, Viader Vineyards & Winery, Vineyard 7 & 8, Wheeler Farms Winery, White Rock Vineyards

CERTIFIED VINEYARD & WINERY: Opus One, Spottswode Estate Vineyard & Winery



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