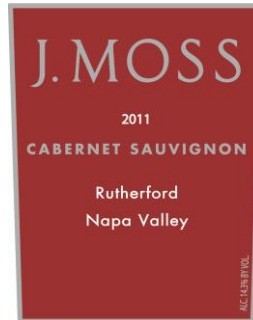


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## 2011 Rutherford Napa Valley Cabernet Sauvignon



### Harvest Date

October 2011

### Vineyard Appellation:

Rutherford  
Napa Valley, CA

### Varietals composition

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Alcohol 14.7%

pH 3.69

TA 6.0 g/l

### Aging

22 months on 80% French Oak  
& 20% American Oak

### Winemaker

James W. Moss

### The 2011 Vintage

The 2011 Cabernet Sauvignon came from world renowned Rutherford area in Napa Valley. Most know for some of the best Cabernet Sauvignon in the world. The 2011 Cabernet Sauvignon is produced in the Bordeaux style with 100% Cabernet Sauvignon.

### Winemaking

The grapes were harvested in October 2011 at 25.5 degree Brix. They were handpicked into ½ ton bins, gently destemmed, cold soaked for 3 days to help with color and fresh fruit and fermented in T'bins. The grapes were hand punched down twice a day until dry. The wine was pressed to barrels for malolactic fermentation, racked off and put into 80% French barrels and 20% American for 22 months to ensure their complex flavors. Each barrel was hand racked four times before bottling.

### Tasting notes

Rich dark cherry like fruit followed by mocha, cedar and dust flavors. This full bodied complex cabernet adds depth and layers with big tannins and a silky nice finish.