



# CACHET WINE

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## Longboard Merlot Dakine Vineyard 2022

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**Code** LONG220

This Estate Merlot Block lies at the base of an east-facing hillside on Westside Road in Healdsburg. The original vines were planted in 1988, this cuvée is named DaKine, a Hawaiian-Creole term used to describe complex concepts like terroir.

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**Tasting Notes:**

Aromas of blackcurrant, violet, and plum complement the dried herbs and wild fennel. The palate is generous and structured, with ripe tannins, dark chocolate notes, and a long, refined finish.

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Specification	
<b>ABV</b>	14.5%
<b>Size</b>	75cl
<b>Drinking Window</b>	Drink now through to 2030
<b>Country</b>	USA
<b>Region</b>	California
<b>Area</b>	Sonoma
<b>Sub Area</b>	Russian River Valley
<b>Type</b>	Red Wine
<b>Grape Mix</b>	89% Merlot, 11% Malbec
<b>Genres</b>	Fine Wine, Vegan, Vegetarian
<b>Vintage</b>	2022
<b>Body</b>	Rich, bold and robust
<b>Producer</b>	Longboard Vineyards
<b>Producer Overview</b>	Longboard was born from the passion of Oded Shakked, surfer first, winemaker later, who brings a unique perspective to winemaking, or rather winegrowing as he prefers to call it.
<b>Closure Type</b>	Cork
<b>Food Matches</b>	Aged in 100% French oak.
<b>Press Comments</b>	Wine Spectator, 2025, 92 points: "Handsomely structured and refined, with detailed flavours of cherry and red currant accented by pencil lead and tomato leaf tones as this builds toward fine-grained tannins."