

Great Vineyards Program

Vineyard Assessment Form 1

Following Final Pruning, Mature Vineyard (VSP, Cane-Pruned)

Vineyard Name: _____ Date: _____

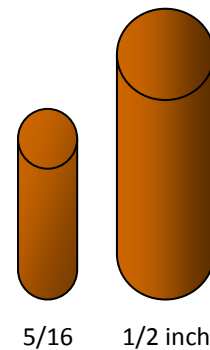
Block Description: Cultivar _____ Rootstock _____ Age _____

Overall Vine Vigor: (check descriptor most representative of entire block)

Insufficient Balanced Excessive

Check Yes or No to condition that applies to > 90% of item (unless other % indicated)

	Yes	No
Vineyard Capacity		
0 to 5% missing or dead vines		
At least 95% of fruiting wire with healthy fruiting canes		
Fruiting canes with 8 to 20 buds; long canes arched		
Fruiting cane diameter between 5/16" and 1/2 inch		
Fruiting cane shape is round in cross-section		
Fruiting cane internode length between 1 to 4 inches		
Fruiting cane color dark brown (or typical of cultivar) and is alive		
Two-bud renewal spur present for each fruiting cane		
Trellis & Training		
Trellis posts and wires in good condition, no repairs needed		
Trellis appropriate for vigor		
Training system appropriate for vigor		
Training system properly implemented (dimensions, vine parts)		
Trunk(s) straight, centered in row		
Fruiting canes tied securely to fruiting wire		
Fruiting canes of adjacent vines do NOT overlap		
Vine Health		
Active crown gall present on fewer than 2% of all trunks		
Phomopsis lesions or bleached canes on fewer than 2% of all canes		
Cane borer holes in fewer than 2% of all fruiting canes		
Vineyard Floor		
Cover crop appropriate for soil and climate (coverage and competition)		
Weed growth short and covers ≤ 50% of under-vine area		
Vineyard Business		
Performance-based (e.g., yield, brix, TA, etc.) contract for all of crop		



<u>Score</u>	<u>Rating</u>
90-100%	Excellent
80-89%	Commendable