

Great Vineyards Program

Vineyard Assessment Form 2

Between Veraison and Harvest, Mature Vineyard

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		
0 to 5% empty fruiting wire (exclusive of missing/dead vines)		
4-6 shoots per linear foot of canopy (on average)		
1 to 2 clusters per shoot		
Good fruit set; clusters well-filled; berry size normal		
Canopy Characteristics		
Shoot length 3 to 4 feet		
15-20 leaves per shoot and leaves appropriate size for cultivar		
Shoot tip growth stopped or very slow		
Lateral shoots absent or short; no more than 2 to 4 leaves per lateral		
Clusters receiving indirect or filtered light; not full shade, not full sun		
Fruit ripening uniformly		
Vine & Fruit Health		
Absence of fruit rot		
Absence of powdery mildew, downy mildew, phomopsis		
Absence of grape berry moth damage to fruit		
Absence of green June beetle damage to fruit		
Absence of Pierce's disease symptoms on leaves, shoots, or fruit		
Absence of severe leaf damage from insects or deer		
Leaf color normal, no apparent nutrient deficiencies		
Leaf color normal, no apparent drought stress injury		
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		
Crop estimation completed: _____ Tons or Pounds (circle)		

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