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## TROON VINEYARD KUBLI BENCH AMBER APPLEGATE VALLEY 2022

### Analysis

The 2022 Troon Amber is the fourth edition of this wine that we have seen and it's our favorite. This vintage, for the first time, Troon Amber is Vermentino forward and it really showcases the tremendous Vermentino grown at Troon Vineyard. While so many "orange" wines can seem muddy on the nose and palate this wine sings. This is a true orange wine as the grapes are farmed like red varietals and the grapes are fermented on their skins for an extended period. Since the varietals ripened at different times, each was fermented separately. Each fermentation lasted about three to four weeks followed by a soft pressing to neutral oak barrels. The Troon Amber is part of their Kubli Bench Series of estate wines. These unique blends will include Rouge, Blanc, Rosé, and the Amber that is featured here.

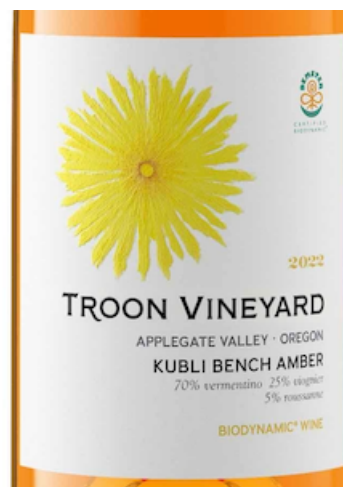
**Cool Grade = A | Value Grade = B+**

### Tasting Note

Hazy, medium golden color. The aromatics are intense, offering scents of spring flowers and passion fruit with supporting notes of orange peel, baked apple, and soursop. The palate confirms the nose delivering a ripe orchard fruits-driven core with flavors of peach, kumquat, pear, and quince. The finish is long and lingering with a subtle note of tannins and tart apple peels. Medium-bodied and perfectly balanced with a vibrant texture.

### How to Enjoy

Serve chilled as a great aperitif or serve alongside ceviche or a your favorite curry — we like a turmeric-forward yellow curry.



**Country:** USA

**Region:** Oregon

**Appellation:** Applegate Valley

**Varietal:** White Blend

**Retail Price:** \$40

**ABV:** 12.5%



**94 POINTS**

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