

HEIMARK

VINEYARD

2016 NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON



HARVEST NOTES

The 2016 growing season captivated us. There was enough winter rain to replenish the vineyard following years of drought and enough sunshine to ensure the development of the fruit's rich and exultant flavors. We harvested pristine grapes on September 20th, enthusiastic about the beauty of our inaugural vintage. After twenty-two days of fermentation, the wine was aged in French Oak barrels for twenty months before bottling.

TASTING NOTES

The 2016 Heimark Cabernet Sauvignon is redolent of wild herbs, plums, cloves, and star anise. Rich flavors of black cherries, chocolate, and thyme are supported by the wine's classical structure and fine grained tannins, resulting in a dense, inviting wine with great energy and lift. The lengthy finish adds seductive notes of cocoa powder, blackberry, and slate.

The wine is delicious now with decanting and is beautifully proportioned to reward aging for ten to twenty years.

2016 VINTAGE INFORMATION

Harvest Date: September 20, 2016

Release Date: November 6, 2019

Sourcing: Heimark Family Vineyard

Varietal Composition: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Alcohol: 14.8%

Wine Produced: 220 cases