

## **BROWN ESTATE 2006 NAPA VALLEY CABERNET SAUVIGNON**

Composition	100% Estate Grown Cabernet Sauvignon
Vineyard Source	Brown Estate Terraces
Appellation	Chiles Valley District, Napa Valley
Barrel Aging	42 months 50% 225-liter new French oak
Alcohol	14.5% by vol.
Production	650 cases in 12 x 750ml format

## **Growing Season**

The 2006 growing season was a tumultuous one, beginning with heavy rains and flooding from January to April. The season got off to a slow start and bud break was delayed for two weeks. A record-breaking heatwave in June helped the blooming vines make up for lost time. The weather magically cooled in August, providing glorious mild temperatures throughout harvest.

## **Tasting Notes**

Deep ruby rim with an intense dense royal purple core. Gorgeous bouquet of toasted marshmallow, blueberry, boysenberry, black currant, graphite, and crème de cassis. Time in the glass reveals crushed dried tobacco leaves, grilled herbs, and spicy oak. Layered and elegant with a round and broad mouthfeel.

Drink now through 2035.

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