

Midnight Cellars

2016 CABERNET SAUVIGNON

NEBULA

Paso Robles
California

WINEMAKER

Rich Hartenberger

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

90% Cabernet Sauvignon
10% Merlot

COOPERAGE

15% new French oak
85% neutral oak

BARREL AGING

24 months

pH / TA

3.45 / 0.670 g/L

RS

0.02%

ABV

15.3%

PRODUCTION

450 cases



VINTAGE NOTES

The 2016 vintage started off with respectable weather through bloom and set. Our first bit of 100-degree weather came during the sizing phase which effected berry growth on many of our varietals. In September, the ripening was lengthened with the hot and cool temperature swings. Overall, winemakers are optimistic about the yields, with no significant factors like freezes or prolonged heat spikes affecting the crop.

TASTING NOTES

Deep, dark color. Full mouthfeel with firm structure. Flavors of ripe black fruit, leather, dried earth and minerals abound. The impossibly long finish is framed with spice, black cherry and plum.

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