



Alcohol:	14.1%
Barrel Aging:	18 months
Barrel Type:	55% French Oak, 45% American Oak, 40% New
No. of Cases:	1,846
Harvest Date:	10/06 thru 11/06
Date Bottled:	07/08
Date Released:	02/09
Aging Potential:	6 - 8 years
Price:	\$45.00

2006 CABERNET FRANC

NAPA VALLEY

WINEMAKER NOTES: The fruit in the 2006 Cabernet Franc was harvested in Oct. and Nov. 2006 from hand-selected lots in the Napa Valley. The wine spent extended maceration time on the skins to achieve vibrant color and well-structured tannins. The wine was then barrel aged for 18 months in 40% new, tightly-grained French and American Oak. 84% Cabernet Franc, 16% Cabernet Sauvignon.

SENSORY DESCRIPTION: The 2006 Cabernet Franc is vivid magenta with rose hues in the glass. Aromas of plum, red currant, toasty vanilla and white pepper awaken the nose. Elegant and well-structured with bright flavors of black cherry, toast, coffee and spice on the mid-palate followed by a soft, supple finish.