

ESTABLISHED 1977

# LAKE SONOMA

## WINERY

2016

### ALEXANDER VALLEY

## CABERNET SAUVIGNON

#### WINEMAKER NOTES

2016 began wet and cool. Bud break came early and crop yields were slightly lower overall, due to spring rains. Moderate, steady summer temperatures meant ripening progressed easily, and a cooler August allowed flavors to develop well. Harvest seemed to happen all at once. A promising vintage.

100% Malolactic fermentation. Aged 14 months, 35% in new French oak.

#### TASTING

Our fruit-forward 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon welcomes you with aromas of black cherry, blackberry and dark chocolate. Big and bold, this wine is deliciously balanced on the palate with flavors of juicy plum and blackberry with chewy tannins and a sweet mocha finish.

#### COMPOSITION

89% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Petit Verdot, 4% Petite Sirah, 2% Malbec

Alcohol: 14.9%

pH: 3.8

TA: 6.1 g/L

