

SAMUEL CHARLES



2017 OAK KNOLL CABERNET SAUVIGNON

WINE DATA

Producer

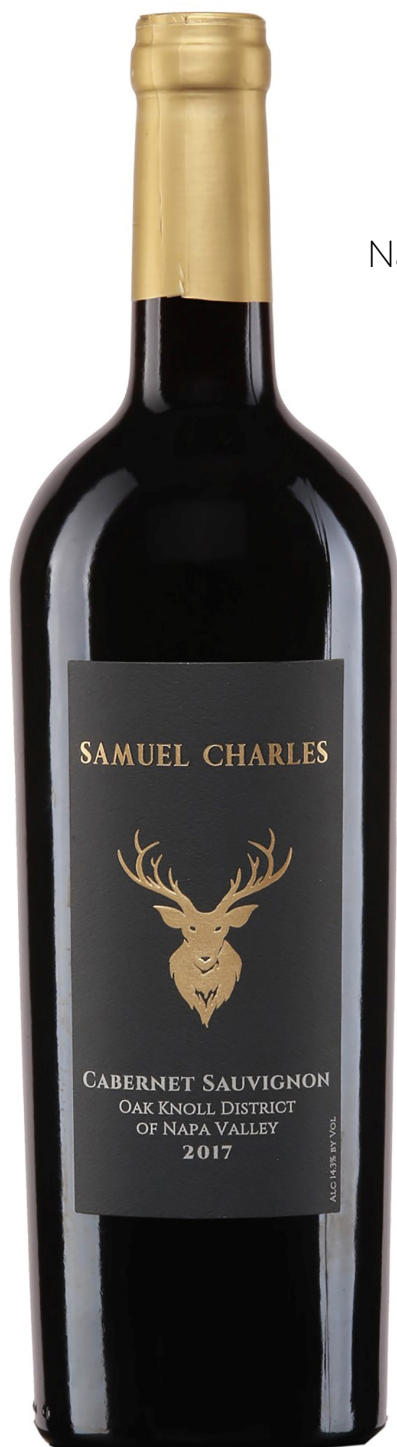
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Region

Oak Knoll District,
Napa Valley, California

Country

United States



Wine Composition

100% Cabernet
Sauvignon

Alcohol

14.3%

Total Acidity

5.9 G/L

Residual Sugar

.31 G/L

pH

3.67

DESCRIPTION

This single-vineyard wine immediately impresses with dark purple hues and boasts complex aromas of blackberries, dark fruit and a hint of black pepper among other nuances. The abundant fruit flavors are nicely integrated and enhanced by the judicious use of new oak. A well-structured, ample-bodied wine, it has sufficient tannins for aging but also a round, silkiness that makes it a great Napa Cab to enjoy drinking now.

WINEMAKER NOTES

This is the first vintage of Samuel Charles Cabernet Sauvignon to come from Napa Valley, and from a sub-appellation that is becoming known for its superb terroir and distinctive grapes. There are vineyards on 4.5 acres located below the Mayacamas Mountain Range, on the west side of Highway 29 in the heart of the Napa Valley. After harvesting and careful destemming and fermentation, the wine is aged ten months in French Oak, 30% new barrels.

SERVING HINTS

Serve at room temperature with red meats, lamb or assorted cheeses.