



## 2016 Summers Estate Winery Cabernet Sauvignon Checkmate

<b>Rating</b> (94 - 96)+	<b>Release Price</b> \$160	<b>Drink Date</b> NA	<b>Producer:</b> Summers Estate Winery
<b>Reviewed by</b> Lisa Perrotti-Brown	<b>Issue Date</b> 29th Oct 2018	<b>Source</b> Mid-October 2018 New Releases, The Wine Advocate	<b>From:</b> USA , California , North Coast , Napa Valley
			<b>Color:</b> Red
			<b>Type:</b> Table

A barrel sample blended of 94% Cabernet Sauvignon, 4% Merlot and 2% Cabernet Franc, the 2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Checkmate gives up bold notes of crème de cassis, baked cherries and warm plums with touches of garrigue, dried bay leaves, lavender and chocolate box. Full-bodied and packed with black fruits and hedonistic perfumed layers, it has a firm yet velvety frame and finishes with epic persistence.

**Sweetness:** Dry

**Type:** Table

**Variety:** Cabernet Sauvignon