



PREMIER WINE CLUB – SPRING 2026

2018 MOUNT EDEN CABERNET SAUVIGNON SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS

GRAPE VARIETY

85% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Merlot,
3% Cabernet Franc, 2% Petit Verdot

WINEMAKER

Led by longtime winemaker Jeffrey Patterson, who has guided the estate since the early 1980s. The historic property traces its vineyard lineage back to cuttings originally linked to Château Margaux, giving the estate a uniquely deep Cabernet heritage in California.

VINEYARD

Estate vineyards sit high in the Santa Cruz Mountains, where cool coastal influence, elevation, and rocky soils produce structured wines with vibrant acidity and strong aging potential.

WINEMAKING

This estate-grown wine is crafted in a traditional style emphasizing balance and longevity. The wine is aged for about 22 months in oak (roughly half new) before bottling, allowing structure and complexity to develop while maintaining freshness.

TASTING PROFILE

Aromas of black currant, plum, brown spice, and cherry lead to flavors of dark fruit, sage, mint, and graphite. The wine shows firm but refined tannins with a classic, structured finish typical of mountain Cabernet. 95-Point rating from Wine Advocate and retail price of \$110.

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