



2006 Ames Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon

Tasting Notes

The 2006 Ames is an opaque ruby color. It is full of plum, currant and bittersweet cocoa combined with aromas of dried savory herbs. The wine has a refreshing acidity that is followed by a structured palate.

Wine	2006 Ames Vineyard
Appellation	Oakville, Napa Valley
Varietal	100% Cabernet Sauvignon
Production	130 cases
Harvest Date	September 26, 2006
Oak	100% French, 50% new
Barrel Aging	18 months
Alcohol	14.6%
Vineyard manager	Piña Vineyard Management
Acreage	1.65 acres
History of vineyard	Leased by Piña family in 2005
Planted in	2003 and 2004
Vines	2,999 vines
Clones/Rootstock	7 on 101-14, Weimer on 3309
Spacing	4x6
Aspect	Northwest
Soil description	Cortina series
Soils	Excessively drained soils on flood plains and alluvial Fans with a large effective rooting depth
Slopes	2 - 20%