

Wine Spectator



92 **Nickel & Nickel Cabernet Sauvignon Oak Knoll District of Napa Valley Vaca Vista Vineyard 2018** Solid, structured, slightly old school version, with a core of red and black currant fruit held in check for now by strident tannins and notes of warm loam and cast iron. There's freshness and a violet note buried here too, so worth waiting for it to unwind fully. Just a bit of a bruiser now. Best from 2022 through 2032. —*J.M.*