

# CUDA RIDGE *Wines*

**Winemakers Notes:**     **2008 Malbec**  
                                  **Livermore Valley**

**Description:** Dark rich inky in color. Rich dark berry aromas with dark berries carrying through on the palate. This is bold wine, yet soft on the mid-palate with a long lasting berry finish. At 13.7% alcohol, this is a subtle wine that you can sit back, savor, and enjoy .

**Varietals:**     75% Malbec, 15% Merlot, 5% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Petit Verdot

**Awards:** Silver Medal 2011 SF Chronicle Wine Competition  
              Silver Medal 2011 Best of the Bay Wine Competition

**Cases Produced:** 120

**Harvested:** October 31, 2008

**Barrel Treatment:** Barrel aged for 18 months in 85% new oak (50% new French, 50% new American)

**Vital Statistics:**

Al     13.7% Alcohol by Volume  
TA     .67 g/100mL  
pH     3.60

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