

CUDA RIDGE *Wines*



2016 Cabernet Sauvignon Livermore Valley

This mountain style Cab has subtle fruit on the nose of raspberry, coconut, and Carmel which carries over to the palate with layers including leather, wild cherries, eucalyptus, and meaty palate.

Varietals: 80% Cabernet Sauvignon (Galles and Thompson), 10% White Cat Cabernet Franc, 8% Smith Ranch Petit Verdot, 2% One Oak Merlot

Awards: Gold Medal – 2020 SF Chronicle Wine Competition

Vineyard Notes: The majority of the Cabernet Sauvignon is from the Galles vineyard is just North/East of Greenville and Tesla intersection. The Galles vineyard is meticulously managed by the Galles family and pruned to a target yield of no more than 3 ton per acre. The Galles vineyard is located on a rolling hill, the fruit on the higher elevations ripen sooner than the valley floor. The location gets high winds in the afternoon thus having a significant cooling of the grapes in late afternoon which help produce the complexity and finesse of this Bordeaux style Cabernet. A small portion of the Cabernet Sauvignon is from Thompson Vineyard located on the eastern side of Livermore, east of the Galles Vineyard.

Barrel Treatment: 31 Months in French Oak (71% New French Oak)

Bottling Date: March 21, 2019

Cases Produced: 168

Vital Statistics:

Al 13.9% Alcohol by Volume

TA .72

pH 3.69

List Price: \$40.00 bottle

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