

CUDA RIDGE *Wines*

2013 Malbec Reserve

Livermore Valley



Description: Complex aromas and flavors from beginning to end. Rich dark berry, cedar, root beer, and pepper are some of the flavors detected. Bold mid-palate carries through on the finish with well balanced tannins.

Vineyard Notes: White Cat Vineyard located in the Crane Ridge area located in Eastern side of Livermore off from the Poppy Hill Golf Course. Crane Ridge is in the foothills with rolling hills which is sunny from morning until dusk and has moderate winds in the afternoon. White Cat Vineyard only has one acre of Cabernet Franc which is thinned to yield 3-4 ton per acre. This vineyard produces a lighter style of Cabernet Franc, which winemaker Larry Dino prefers, with red fruit, lightly floral, and spice. Cuda Ridge receives the full acre yield to produce this high quality Cabernet Franc.

Varietals: 100% White Cat Vineyard Malbec

Awards: 90 Points Wine Enthusiast
Gold Medal – SF Chronicle Wine Competition

List Price: \$55.00

Cases Produced: 49

Barrel Program: Aged in 31 months in American Oak (Once used and Neutral)

Bottle Date: May 20, 2016

Vital Statistics:

AL 13.7%
TA .50
pH 3.77