

# CUDA RIDGE *Wines*



## **2017 Merlot Livermore Valley**

**Description:** Fragrant nose of blueberry jam, molasses, velvet mouthfeel with flavors of cherry, blueberries, bacon; structured tannins on mid-palate.

**Vineyard Notes:** One Oak Vineyard is located in the Crane Ridge area located in Eastern side of Livermore off Greenville Road across 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. The Merlot thrives from the hot days, cooling evenings, and significantly cooler nights. The trellis is Scott Henry which provides ample shading of the grapes.

**Varietals:** 94% One Oak Merlot  
4% Smith Ranch Petit Verdot  
2% Galles Cabernet Sauvignon

**Awards:** 88 Points – Wine Enthusiast  
Bronze Medal – SF Chronicle Wine Competition

**Barrel Treatment:** 19 Months in French Oak (57% New French Oak)

**Bottling Date:** May 28, 2019

**Cases Produced:** 162

### **Vital Statistics:**

Al 14.5% Alcohol by Volume  
TA .63  
pH 3.71

**List Price:** \$35.00 bottle

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