



2007

The Brat



APPELLATIONS:	Sierra Foothills AVA, Calaveras County
HARVEST DATE:	October 15, 2007
VINEYARD	100% Appaloosa Estate Vineyard
COMPOSITION:	
ALC:	14.8%
PH:	3.68
TA:	.62 g/100ml
CASES PRODUCED:	106
CELLAR PRACTICES:	All fruit is hand picked, hand sorted, destemmed and crushed with 10-15% whole cluster into small open top fermentors. Cold soaked for 4 days, inoculated with specially selected yeast isolated from the Rhone Valley and fermented dry. Pressed into 100% French Oak barrels and aged for 16 months.
TASTING NOTES:	This wine is inspired by the blends of Chateaneuf Du Pape of the Rhone Valley in France. A blend of 65% Grenache and 35% Syrah. Dense, rich and chewy, with mocha-laced wild berry and blackberry fruit that's intense and full-bodied, gaining depth and a minerally complexity on the finish.
RETAIL PRICE:	\$36.00
REVIEWS:	94 points – Wine Enthusiast