

JAMES COLE

ESTATE WINERY

Vintage: 2005

Appellation: Napa Valley

Harvest Dates: October 22 - 24, 2005

Composition: 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

Vineyard
Block/Clones: Mud's Kitchen Block: Clone 7 – 30%
Marleigh's Block: Clone 4 – 30%
Rancho Caballo Block: Clone 337 –40%

Barrel Age: 22 months - 100% new French oak Bordeaux Chateau Ferré-style barrels

Analysis: Brix at Harvest: 26.8
Ph: 3.62
T/A: 0.57
Alcohol: 14.5%

Winemaker: James Harder

Consulting
Winemaker: Charles Hendricks

Viticulturist: Kelly Maher

Vineyard Manager: Jim Regusci

Case Production: 400

Tasting Notes:

100% Cabernet Sauvignon from our estate vineyards, the 2005 is an intensely dark red wine with a big nose of currant, blueberries, black cherry and vanilla oak. The palate introduces intense flavors of the same rounded out with hints of mocha, espresso, licorice, saddle leather and toasty oak that lead to a long balanced finish. This well structured, powerful red will age gracefully for the next 12 - 15 years.