

## 2009

"Violets and blackberries with hints of spices on the nose. Full body, with soft and velvety tannins and a juicy finish. Drink now or hold. Always excellent value."

James Suckling, Mars 2012

Score: 92/100

"The 2009 is impressive, but the estate somewhat under-the-radar, since it is hard to pronounce and not exactly a household name. This is a beautifully fleshy wine with loads of liquorice, spring flowers, graphite and black fruits. Fleshier and more concentrated than usual, with a longer, more intense finish and plenty of glycerine, this dark ruby/purple wine is a knock-out and, in theory, an attractive great value. It should drink well for up to a decade."

Robert Parker, Wine Advocate, Décembre 2011

Score: 90/100

"Deep purple. Very sweet and unctuous and should be very good value. Exotic, plush, very purple tasting."

Jancis Robinson, jancisrobinson.com, Avril 2010

Score: 16/20

"This takes a few minutes to get going, as a savory herb note leads the way, but then recedes in the face of dark but soft plum and black cherry fruit flavors. Shows flashes of tobacco and mineral on the finish. Drink now through 2015. 8,330 cases made."

James Molesworth, Wine Spectator, Mars 2012

Score: 89/100

"The wine opens with sweet licorice, tobacco, black raspberry and spice scents. Medium bodied, this ends with soft textured, sweet, black raspberry and chocolate in the finish."

Jeff Leve, The Wine Cellar Insider, Juillet 2011

Score: 88/100