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<u>Wine</u>	<u>Score*</u>	<u>Wine</u>	<u>Score*</u>	<u>Wine</u>	<u>Score*</u>
<u>CABERNET SAUVIGNON AND CABERNET BLENDS</u>		2009 Davies Vineyards Nobles Vyrd (\$50)	90	2009 Robert Foley Vineyards The Griffin (\$35)	89
2008 Beringer Private Reserve (\$115)	90	2009 Decoy (\$22)	88	2008 Stags' Leap (\$38)	88
2007 Conn Creek Collins Holystone (\$45)	88	2009 Dehlinger Goldridge Vyrd (\$45)	90	2009 Villa San-Juliette (\$17)	88
2007 Cyrus (\$60)	91	2009 Dutton Estate Ramen Isabella (\$40)	90	<u>SAUVIGNON BLANC</u>	
2008 Dehlinger (\$50)	90	2009 Educated Guess (\$25)	87	2010 Concannon Selected Vyrds (\$10)	86
2007 Francis Ford Coppola Archimedes (\$52)	90	2009 Foley (\$40)	89	2010 Cosa Obra Hummingbird Hill Vyrd (\$24)	85
2007 Hawk and Horse Vineyards (\$65)	89	2009 Foley Bar Lazy S Ranch (\$55)	89	2010 Decoy (\$18)	89
2007 Jordan (\$52)	93	2009 Foley Barrel Select (\$65)	90	2010 Grgich Hills Estate Essence (\$48)	92
2008 Kelly Fleming (\$90)	90	2009 Foley JA Ranch (\$55)	90	2010 Grgich Hill Estate Fumé Blanc (\$30)	90
2007 Kenwood Vineyards Artist Series (\$70)	89	2009 Foley T Anchor Ranch (\$55)	90	2010 Kelly Fleming (\$30)	90
2008 Ramey Annum (\$90)	92	2009 Freestone (\$55)	90	2010 Lake Sonoma Winery (\$14)	86
2008 Ramey Claret (\$38)	90	2010 Hahn Winery (\$12)	87	2010 Lincourt (\$18)	89
2007 Renteria Stags Leap District (\$60)	88	2009 Inception Central Coast (\$20)	88	2010 Merry Edwards (\$30)	93
2007 Scherrer (\$48)	90	2009 Inception Santa Barbara County (\$25)	89	2010 Morgan (\$16)	86
2008 Sojourn Howell Mountain (\$69)	91	2009 Inception Sta. Rita Hills (\$55)	90	2010 Rodney Strong Charlotte's (\$13.50)	90
2008 Sojourn Proprietary Cuvée (\$95)	92	2009 Lucas & Lewellen (\$20)	85	2010 Voss Vineyards (\$17)	87
2007 Stone Edge Farm (\$60)	89	2009 Masút Vineyard and Winery (\$40)	88	<u>SYRAH</u>	
2008 ZD Reserve (\$125)	89	2009 Merry Edwards Coopersmith (\$60)	90	2008 Dehlinger Estate (\$45)	92
<u>CHARDONNAY</u>		2009 Merry Edwards Olivet Lane (\$60)	90	2009 Foxen Williamson-Doré (\$44)	91
2009 Cambria Katherine's Vyrd (\$22)	89	2009 Morgan Double L Vyrd (\$50)	88	2009 Francis Coppola Reserve (\$33)	88
2009 Ferrari-Carano Tré Terre (\$30)	91	2009 Parducci Small Lot Blend (\$12)	84	2009 Neyers Old Lakeville Road (\$35)	90
2009 Gary Farrell Keefer Ranch (\$45)	89	2009 Patz & Hall Chenoweth Ranch (\$55)	90	2009 Signorello (\$42)	88
2009 Grgich Hills Estate (\$42)	90	2009 Patz & Hall Hyde Vyrd (\$65)	92	2008 Terre Rouge DTR Ranch (\$38)	89
2009 Hess Collection (\$22)	89	2009 Patz & Hall Jenkins Ranch (\$55)	90	<u>ZINFANDEL</u>	
2009 Inception (\$20)	87	2009 Patz & Hall Pisoni Vyrd (\$85)	92	2007 Carol Shelton Rocky Reserve (\$33)	91
2009 Jordan (\$29)	89	2009 Sea Smoke Southing (\$52)	88	2009 Crooked Path (\$20)	88
2009 Lincourt Courtney's (\$25)	89	2009 Sea Smoke Ten (\$80)	89	2008 Dashe Florence Vyrd (\$32)	89
2009 Oakville Ranch (\$45)	89	2009 Sequana Sundawg Ridge Vyrd (\$50)	90	2009 Dehlinger Guadagni Bros. Vyrd (\$30)	90
2009 Patz & Hall Hyde Vyrd (\$55)	91	2009 Sojourn Ridgetop Vyrd (\$59)	91	2009 Gary Farrell Bradford Mountain (\$45)	89
2009 Patz & Hall Zio Tony Ranch (\$60)	91	2009 Sojourn Russian River Valley (\$42)	91	2009 Gary Farrell Sonoma Selection (\$40)	90
2009 Renteria Carneros (\$40)	88	2009 Sojourn Wohler Vyrd (\$48)	92	2009 Quivira Vineyards & Winery (\$20)	89
2009 Sea Smoke (\$52)	89	2010 Valley of the Moon (\$18)	86	2009 Quivira Vineyards & Winery Flight (\$38)	89
2009 Sebastiani Patrick's Vyrd (\$40)	87	2009 Williams Selyem Allen Vyrd (\$82)	91	2009 Quivira Vineyards & Winery Quest (\$38)	89
<u>MERLOT</u>		2009 Williams Selyem Eastside (\$49)	91	2009 Rancho Zabaco Sonoma Heritage (\$15)	88
2009 Columbia-Crest (\$15)	88	2009 Williams Selyem Rochioli (\$78)	92	2009 Robert Biale R.W. Moore Vyrd (\$45)	90
2009 Freemark Abbey (\$30)	87	<u>PETITE SIRAH AND BLENDS</u>		2007 RustRidge (\$35)	87
2007 Grgich Hill Estate (\$42)	89	2008 Ancient Peaks (\$35)	89	2008 Sausal Family (\$19)	89
2009 Marilyn Merlot (\$29)	88	2009 Bogle Vineyards (\$11)	89	2008 Sausal Private Reserve (\$24)	88
2008 Roth (\$20)	89	2008 Carol Shelton Rockpile Reserve (\$40)	92	2009 Scherrer Old and Mature Vines (\$32)	91
2007 Twomey (\$50)	86	2009 Dehlinger Guadagni Bros Vyrd (\$35)	90	2009 Scherrer Shale Terrace (\$28)	89
2008 Villa San-Juliette (\$17)	87	2008 Di Arie (\$30)	90	2009 Sobon Estate Primitivo ReZerve (\$24)	89
2008 Whitehall Lane Winery & Vyrds (\$28)	88	2009 Earthquake (\$24)	89	2008 Sobon Estate ReZerve Zin (\$24)	88
<u>PINOT NOIR</u>		2009 Guenoc (\$17)	88		
2009 Artesa Sangiacomo Vyrd (\$75)	91	2008 Lava Cap (\$30)	88		
2009 Calera Central Coast (\$24)	90	2009 Macchia Rebellious (\$24)	90		
2009 Cambria Julia's Vyrd (\$25)	87	2010 McManis Family Vineyards (\$12)	89		
2010 Carmel Road (\$20)	87	2007 Marietta (\$25)	89		
2009 Davies Vineyards Ferrington Vyrds (\$50)	90	2007 Retro (\$36)	89		
2009 Davies Vineyards Londer Vyrd (\$50)	89	2009 Ridge Lytton Estate (\$30)	89		
		2009 Robert Biale Royal Punishers (\$39)	92		

* Editor Nick Ponomareff's scores based on the 100-point scoring system

