



<b>Price:</b>	\$85.00
<b>Barrel Aging:</b>	16 Months
<b>Barrel Type:</b>	50% French Oak, 50% American Oak, 65% New
<b>Varietal Composition:</b>	50% Merlot, 50% Cabernet Sauvignon
<b>Bottling Date:</b>	June, 2010
<b>Release Date:</b>	September, 2011
<b>Aging Potential:</b>	6 - 8 years
<b>Alcohol:</b>	14.5%
<b>Cases Produced:</b>	647

## 2008 FIFTY/FIFTY

RED WINE

NAPA VALLEY

**WINEMAKER NOTES:** 2008 was a year that offered winemakers a little bit of everything. The second year into a drought preceded a very hard frost— the worst in decades— resulting in a very small but high quality crop. Similarly to 2007, the small berries delivered outstanding fruit tannins, exceptional color, and powerful, well balanced wines.

**SENSORY DESCRIPTION:** The 2008 Fifty/Fifty is coy, sultry, and complex. Flavors of rich, dark berry, chocolate covered black cherry, and a hint of cedar reveal themselves seductively in this dense wine with an impressively long finish.