

# Bravante Vineyards

## 2006 Howell Mountain Merlot

### Viticulture

Appellation:	100% Howell Mountain
Vineyard	100% Stone Ridge Vineyard
Varietal Content:	84.0% Merlot 16.0% Cabernet Sauvignon

### Winemaking:

Time in oak:	23 months
Bottling:	August 2008
Fining:	No fining
Filtration:	One polish filtration
Alcohol:	14.9%
Aging potential:	5 to 7 years
Cases produced:	310 cases
Release date:	April 1, 2009
Vineyard manager:	Peter Murphy
Winemaker:	Duane D. Dappen

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