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These are the California Cabernet Sauvignon varietals which ratings between 85 and 89 in *The Wine Enthusiast*, March 2009 Issue.

88 Tadal 2005 Cabernet Sauvignon (Napa Valley); \$30. An elegant Cabernet that's ready to drink tonight and will hold for some years. Shows good Napa character, with lush, ripe tannins and flavors of black currants, blackberries and cedar that cry out for a good steak. —S.H.

<i>Vineyard</i>	<i>Vintage</i>	<i>Varietal</i>	<i>Rating</i>	<i>Price</i>
85-89 Points				
Obsidian Ridge	2006	Obsidian Ridge Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon	89	\$28
Trinitas	2006	Cabernet Sauvignon	89	\$50
Vice Versa	2005	Vice Cabernet Sauvignon	89	\$150
Cakebread	2005	Dancing Bear Ranch Cab. Sauv. - Cab. Franc	88	\$106
Hendry	2005	Red Wine	88	\$35
St. Clement	2005	Cabernet Sauvignon	88	\$36
Tadal Winery	2005	Tadal Family Winery Cab. Sauvignon	88	\$30
Vice Versa	2005	Versa Cabernet Sauvignon	88	\$150
Vice Versa	2005	Le Petit Vice Cabernet Sauvignon - Syrah	88	\$50
William Knuttel	2004	Boeck Family Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon	88	\$24
Coniglio	2004	Cabernet Franc	87	\$40
Midnight Cellars	2004	Mare Nectaris	87	\$44
Miner	2005	The Oracle	87	\$90
Peju	2005	Reserve Cabernet Franc	87	\$95
Spellbound	2006	Cabernet Sauvignon	87	\$15
Waterstone	2005	Cabernet Sauvignon	87	\$26
Amicus	2005	Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$55
Amicus	2005	Special Blend	86	\$40
Andretti	2006	Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$44
Coniglio	2004	Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$60
Earthquake	2005	Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$28
Forth	2006	All Boys Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$24
Hunt Cellars	2001	Good Vibrations Tawny Cabernet Port Cab. Sauv.	86	\$60
Prime	2005	District 4 Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$39
Two Angels	2006	Mayacamas Mountains Cabernet Sauvignon	86	\$28
Coniglio	2004	Cabernet Sauvignon	85	\$60
JAQK Cellars	2006	22 Black Cabernet Sauvignon	85	\$31

**Average Price for 85-89
Points = \$53.32**