

cambiata



Here's some recent press:

Cambiata 2009 Tannat

91 Points | Tanzer/International Wine Cellar , May/June 2013

Saturated medium ruby. Blackberry, tropical dark chocolate, violet and exotic oak on the nose; superripe but not quite porty. Sweet, lush, deep and slightly high-toned, with noteworthy density and surprising lift to the flavors of black fruits and spices complicated by liqueur-like chocolate. As much like Malbec as Tannat--and very good Malbec at that. An edge of acidity and firm tannins give this wine a strong spine to gain in nuance with bottle age. Powerful and impressive Tannat.

Cambiata 2009 Tannat Rocosa Loma Vineyard (Monterey).

91 points Wine Enthusiast, August 2013

Cambiata makes one of the best Tannats in California, and one that's worth investigation. It's big in tannins and wild berry, nettle, teriyaki beef and pepper flavors that finish dry. But it has an acidity that makes it especially elegant, and a complexity rarely seen in [Tannat.] —S.H.

abv: 14.5% **Price:** \$28

Gold Medal: 2013 Orange County Wine Competition

Gold Medal: 2013 Sunset Magazine Wine Competition

Rail 2 Rail 2011 Old Vine Zinfandel

89 Points | International Wine Cellar , May/June 2013

(15% alcohol): Bright medium red. Strawberry, pepper and licorice on the nose, Supple if a bit reduced on entry, then somewhat clenched in the middle, with bright spicy acidity framing the red berry and pepper flavors. This softened with air to reveal good texture and sweetness, along with a medicinal licorice quality. Finishes with serious but ultimately smooth tannins.

2012 Cambiata Albariño – Gold Medal (7th year in a row this wine has taken a gold or better at OC Wine Comp)