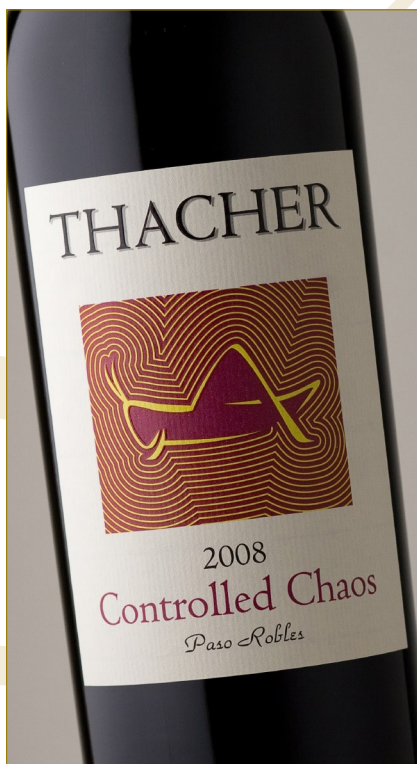




# THACHER WINERY



## 2008 Controlled Chaos

### VINEYARD PROFILE

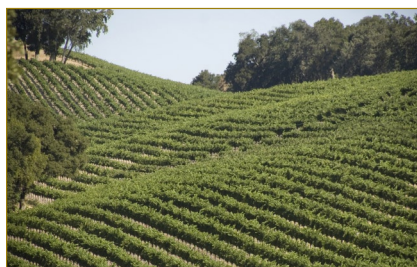
Westside Paso Robles vineyards located between 1800 and 2000 feet elevations and only approximately 15 miles from the Pacific Ocean. Mostly southern and Northern exposure on the rolling, oak studded hills with vines on the steepest slopes. Soils are calcareous and clay based.

### TASTING NOTES

This wine is clear and bright with medium plus intense ruby core fading to a pale ruby rim. On the palate this wine is dry with medium plus body, generous chalky tannin and acid to balance. Flavors are intense black cherry, strawberry jam, crushed peppercorn, cassis black morel, grilled meat and warm oak. The finish is long with complex but balanced flavors and lingering firm, integrated tannins.

### AWARDS

*Gold Medal Winner, 2011 San Francisco International Wine Competition*



### WINE STATISTICS

Wine	2008 Controlled Chaos
Varietals	42% Mourvedre, 35% Zinfandel, 23% Grenache
Vineyards	Halter Ranch, Will's Hills, Je Taime & Vista Creek
AVA	Paso Robles
Tons per acre	2-3
Harvest Dates	September 2008
Harvest Method	Hand
Brix	26.2
PH	3.81
RS	.21
Barrel	23 months, 25% New Eastern European Oak
% ml	n/a
% alc	15.7
Bottle Date	August 2010
CP	205
Retail	\$35.00

