

Eponymous MacAllister Red Wine

"Highlights"

2008

89 Pts WINE ENTHUSIAST, Aug 2011

"There's something lusty about this wine. It's the strong berry, cherry and chocolate flavors, combined with powerful tannins and an immediately delicious umami taste...best now."

2006

90 Pts WINE & SPIRITS, Dec 2009

"This is a big, red-fruited cabernet blend with a lot of dimension to its flavors. The tannins are relatively soft, appealing in their chocolaty richness and suited to current drinking with prime ribs."

2005

91 Pts THE WINE NEWS, May 2009

"Dense garnet hue. Inviting scents of blackberry, black cherry and mocha. Creamy flavors of cherry, vanilla and cola. Velvety tannins with layers of raspberry and sour cherry in the juicy close."

2004

Excellent FREDERIC KOEPPEL KOEPPELONWINE.COM, May 2007

"This wine, made by Robert Pepi and Jeff Booth, combines the elegance of a Left Bank Bordeaux, say from St.-Estephe or St.-Julien, with the deep, dark power and heft of a Sonoma Valley cabernet. The wine is intense and concentrated, high-toned and judicial, bursting with classic notes of cedar, tobacco and lead pencil, ripe and dusty black currants, black cherries and plums, touches of walnut shell and underbrush and mocha. The finish is long, spicy, austere. **Terrific presence and character.**"

2004

Gold Medal SAN FRANCISCO CHRONILE WINE COMPETITION, Jan 2007

2003

"Best of the Best" "Best in Show – 5 Stars" QUARTERLY REVIEW OF WINES May 06