## 2011

BASIS POINTS RED BLEND

COLUMBIA VALLEY



### MARKET VINEYARDS HISTORY

Market Vineyards is a dream brought to life by five partners, Steve Anderson and Daniel Schulte of Kansas City, and Matt Riesenweber, Bob Bertsch, and Kelly Precechtel Bright of Washington State.

Four of the partners have backgrounds in the financial market's arena and the other in custom construction. Their attention to detail and quality comes second nature. While vacationing, the partners sat on the rooftop of the Beijing Hotel overlooking the Forbidden City sampling a large variety of wines. The rooftop view was no less than world-class. Glass in hand, they decided to create a wine that matched the atmosphere they were enjoying. Their passion for wine led to the creation of the handcrafted wines they share with you today.

### WINEMAKING PHILOSOPHY

Market Vineyards' philosophy is reflected by their choice in having one of Washington State's industry leaders, Charlie Hoppes, as their winemaker.

Market Vineyards takes pride on being able to have access to hand-picked fruit sourced from premier Washington State vineyards located in the Columbia Valley and Red Mountain growing regions. The attention to detail and premium quality is not just noticed in the fruit chosen but also in the artistic abilities in the cellar. Custom French and American barrels are hand-selected so they are properly matched for each vintage that is produced.



# **Basis Points**

Our exquisite 2011 Basis Points reveals the quality associated with the hand-picked grapes selected from four of the most prestigious vineyards within the State of Washington. Spicy, peppery, and earthy over-tones add interest to the lithe core of black fruit which picks up a slightly gamey note as the finish persists. The flavors are long lasting offering flavors of licorice-accented black cherry and raw coco which lingers gently against refined tannins. This wine has depth and complexity in a harmonious frame that will age with grace and continue to develop for years to come. Drink now through 2023.

### VARIETALS:

Cabernet Sauvignon	33%
Merlot	33%
Petit Verdot	17%
Cabernet Franc	17%

### **VINEYARDS**:

Shaw Vineyards, Cabernet Sauvignon	33%
Dionysus, Merlot	33%
Stillwater Creek, Petit Verdot	17%
Weinbau, Cabernet Franc	17%

ALCOHOL: 14.6% CASES: 147

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