

Palate Notes: Inky dark in color with notes of black cherry, candied apples, exotic spices and fine leather. Fleshy and extracted, yet elegant, with a smooth, velvety structure. This syrah is multifaceted and multilayered with a long, brooding finish.

Serving Suggestions: Pairs with grilled meats, pasta dishes and charcuterie.

Optimal Temperature: 56°

2009 D'Alfonso-Curran Syrah Black Oak Vineyard

WINEMAKING NOTES

Hand sorted fruit, 100% destemmed. Cold soaked in open-top fermentors for 4 days. Full ML fermentation.

VARIETAL: 100% Syrah

APPELLATION: Santa Barbara County

VINEYARD: Black Oak

BARREL AGING: 62 months in Once-Used French Oak

ALCOHOL: 14.8%

TA: 6.5g/L

PH: 3.58