**GRIPPY** 

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## **TASTING NOTES**

The Grippy returns with a mouthful of fruit and gripping tannins that don't want to let go. Aromas of blackberry, cherry and sweet spice are matched with robust fruit flavors and barrel spices on the palate.

**Appellation:** Paso Robles

Harvest Dates: September 13-

November 6, 2021

**Blend:** 50% Syrah, 25%

Grenache, 25% Mourvedre

Average Brix at Harvest: 28.0

degrees

Winemaker: Curtis Hascall

Vineyard Source: Wills Hills Vineyard/ Onyx

Vineyard

**Fermentation:** 1.5 Ton Open Top Fermenters

**Alcohol:** 15.8% **TA:** 0.63 g/L **pH:** 3.74

Aging: 18 months

## **CONCEPT**

Adhering to the belief that form follows function, Shale Oak was built by a carefully crafted team. While each individual is a strong expert in their respective field, the group synergistically came together to plan, plant and build a vineyard, winery and tasting room that would have next to zero impact on the surrounding environment. The project was awarded Gold LEED Certification upon completion.

With a keen eye on sustainability in every facet of our buisness, we grow and make best-quality blends and single varietals in limited qualities. We exist as cohesively as possible with the forces of nature on the west side of Paso Robles, in the heart of the Central Coast of California.



