PETIT VERDOT

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TASTING NOTES

Rich with black plum, cocoa, blueberries, and boysenberries, this wine balances out with tar, pencil shavings and earth.

Appellation: Paso Robles **Harvest Dates:** October 18-

October 28, 2019

Blend: 79% Petit Verdot, 15% Grenache, 4% Zinfandel, 2%

Syrah

Average Brix at Harvest: 26.9

degrees

Winemaker: Curtis Hascall

Vineyard Source: Castle

Oak Vineyard

Fermentation: 1.5 Ton Open Top Fermenters

Alcohol: 15.7% **TA:** 0.51 g/l **pH:** 3.87

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.



