



SHALE OAK

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## TASTING NOTES

This full bodied Syrah has huge notes of blackberry pie, cassis, and wild aromas of cigar box and happiness.

**Appellation:** Paso Robles

**Harvest Dates:** October 3, 2020

**Blend:** 86% Syrah, 7% Petite Sirah, 7% Petit Verdot

**Average Brix at Harvest:** 28.1 degrees

**Winemaker:** Curtis Hascall

**Vineyard Source:** Shale Oak Vineyard, Castle Oak Vineyard

**Fermentation:** 1.5 Ton Open Top Fermenters

**Alcohol:** 15.4%

**TA:** 0.58 g/l

**pH:** 3.82

**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 business, we grow and make best-quality blends and single varietals in limited quantities. 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.

