



SHALE OAK

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## TASTING NOTES

Deep garnet red in the glass, ripe black and red raspberry notes in the nose follow through in the mouth. The texture is rich and full of mocha, briar and fresh cut meadow.

**Accolades:** 90 Gold - 2022 Orange County Commercial Wine Competition, 88 Points - Wine Enthusiast, Gold - 2022 Central Coast Wine Competition, Gold - Los Angeles Invitational Wine & Spirits Challenge

**Appellation:** Paso Robles

**Harvest Dates:** September 16-  
October 18, 2019

**Blend:** 95% Zinfandel, 5% Petite  
Sirah

**Average Brix at Harvest:** 28.4  
degrees

**Winemaker:** Curtis Hascall

**Vineyard Source:** Shale  
Oak Vineyard, Wills Hills  
Vineyard, Old Oak  
Vineyard

**Fermentation:** 1.5 Ton  
Open Top Fermenters

**Alcohol:** 15.8%

**TA:** 0.68 gm/L

**pH:** 3.56

**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.

