

VARIETAL COLLECTION

Syrah
2010

Vintage:	Second
Composition:	100% Syrah
Clone:	2
Appellation:	Napa Valley, Coombsville District
Vineyard:	Caldwell Vineyard Estate, established 1981
Block:	15
Yield:	2.5 Tons per Acre
Average Vine Age:	21 years
Vintage Summary:	The 2010 vintage was marked by late spring rains. The growing season was quite cool. Late heat spikes towards the end of red verasion further added an unexpected twist to the already challenging harvest. A roller coaster of alternating heat and rain spells marked the ripening period. Berry sizes were normal with good flavor and strong skins.
Harvest Date:	November 2, 2010
Fermentation:	100% Barrel
Yeast:	Natural
ML:	Natural
Wood Origin:	Allier
Ageing:	19 months
New Oak Barrels:	100%
Fining/Filtering:	Filtered
Bottled on:	June 6, 2012
Winemaker's Tasting Notes:	Perfumed raspberry, bright red currant, black , tea, leather, milk chocolate, and white pepper define the nose. A black cherry attack leads into a juicy mouth of blackberry, strawberry, boysenberry, dark chocolate, and soy. The smooth sweet tannins melts into a long lingering after of raspberry and chocolate.
Cellaring:	2 – 6 years
Production:	74 cases
Price:	\$65 / 750mL

