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2020 BARREL SELECT TEMPRANILLO

100% ESTATE GROWN

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon AVA

Harvest Date: 14 September; 1, 3, 5 October 2020

At harvest: Sugar; 24.4° Brix pH; 3.72 TA; 6.68 grams/liter

At bottling: Sugar; Nil

Cooperage: French (95%), American (5%), 24% 2-yr old, 76% neutral

Bottling Date: 14 July 2022

Alcohol: 14.4% by volume

Case Production: 388 (750 mL)

Awards, Ratings & Reviews:

92 Points & Cellar Selection, Wine Enthusiast

"A vanilla cupcake with blackberry icing is a heck of an aromatic introduction. Additional aromas of pipe tobacco, lemon zest, lavender, and leather are equally enticing. Muscular tannins ripple in support of blueberry, mocha latte, hibiscus, and almond flavors. Enjoy now until 2032." - Michael Alberty

92 Points, Vinous 2024

TASTING NOTES

Our flagship Tempranillo continues the tradition of quality and excellence through careful selection of the finest barrels. Rich blackberry, violets, mocha, spice box, smoke and well-defined tannins unfold in velvety layers through the lengthy finish. While delicious now, this wine has the structure to improve for 10 or more years and offers a long plateau of maturity.