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## 2021 BARREL SELECT TEMPRANILLO

100% ESTATE GROWN

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon AVA

Harvest Date: 1, 8 October 2021

At harvest: Sugar; 24.1° Brix      pH; 3.69      TA; 6.38 grams/liter

At bottling: Sugar; Nil

Cooperage: French (100%), 8% 2 Yr. Old, 30% 4 Yr. Old, 62% Neutral

Bottling Date: 13, 14 July 2023

Alcohol: 14.2% by volume

Case Production: 633 (750 mL)

SRP: \$40.00 (750 mL)

Awards, Ratings & Reviews:

90 points, James Suckling

This shows notes of ripe dark berries, dried herbs, cocoa and a hint of licorice. Medium-bodied with fine tannins and a deep core of succulent fruit. Bright and fruity with a velvety finish. Drink now.

## 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.