VIN CELLARS

VINUM CALIFORNIA

VINUM VERITAS

Our basic winemaking philosophy is to work with great grape growers to develop the best fruit in the vineyard. We pick the grapes at optimal ripeness and gently process the fruit. We are very experimental with yeast strains and use different cultures for each variety. Our whites are barrel fermented slowly and aged Sur Lies in small French Oak barrels. With our reds, skin contact is optimized by the use of small open top fermentors, hand punch downs and extended maceration before pressing. Our belief in the use of older French Oak barrels allows the varietal fruit of our wines to be expressed. We are committed to experimenting and learning new winemaking methods while preserving an old world approach.

fall 2013



[2012 WHITE ELEPHANT]

California White Table Wine Appellations: 59% Chenin Blanc - Clarksburg 25% Roussanne - Santa Barbara 16% Vionier - Sonoma County

Alcohol: 13.9%

TA (g/l): **7.0**

pH: 3.42 ML: 20%

Aging: 33% 2 yr. old French Oak 33% 3 yr. old French Oak 33% 4 yr. old French Oak

Production: 750 cases



[2010 THE SCRAPPER]

100% Cabernet Franc Appellation: El Dorado County Alcohol: 14.9% TA (g/l): 5.70 pH: 3.70 R.S.: Dry Aging: 100% 2 year old French Oak aged for 28 months Production: 500 cases



[2011 RED DIRT RED]

60% Syrah 10% Grenache 30% Mourvedre Appellation: Paso Robles Alcohol: 14.9% TA (g/l): 5.80 pH: 3.68 Harvest Brix.: 24.40° (average) Barrels: 10% newFrench Oak 90% 2 year old French Oak

Production: 1,500 cases



[2010 NAPA CAB]

100% Cabernet Sauvignon Appellation: Napa County Designation: Wilson Vineyards Alcohol: 14.9% TA (g/l): 5.90 pH: 3.68 Barrels: 50% new French Oak 50% 2 year old French Oak aged for 24 months Production: 235 cases



[NV BUBBLES]

100% Chenin Blanc Appellation: Clarksburg Alcohol: 12.5% TA (g/l): 7.1 pH: 3.35 R.S.: 12 g/l Production: 301 cases