

2012

FLORENCEPetite Sirah

Florence Vineyard, Dry Creek Valley

Winemaker's Tasting Notes: Inky blue-purple in color, sweet black razzberry jammy fruit—yum!

Dark chocolatey oak spice, bright acidity but very juicy-supple, bit of

warm vanilla at finish, structured tannins for aging.

Harvest Date: September 29, 2012

Average Brix at Harvest: 25.8°Brix

Average TA/pH at Harvest: 0.61 gm/100ml pH: 3.46

Fermentation Characteristics: 5 day cold soak pre-ferment, for a total

of 12 days on skins, fermented in T-bins, punched down by hand 2 times/day,

5 different yeast strains!

Cellar Storage/Aging: 20 months in oak barrels---

10% NEW American 33% older French and 57% older American

Alcohol: 14.1%

Total Acidity: 0.64 gm/100ml

pH: 3.54

Varietal: 93% Petite Sirah, 7% Zinfandel

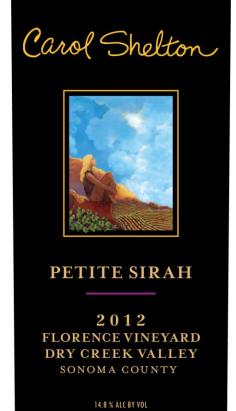
Appellation: 100% Florence Vineyard(s),

92% Dry Creek Valley

8% Rockpile

Cases produced: 368 cases

Bottling Date: August 2, 2014
Release Date: December 1, 2014



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