

SEXTANT 2010

CENTRAL COAST ZINFANDEL



APPELLATION: Central Coast, CA

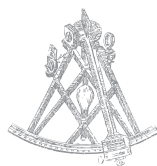
WINEMAKING: With fruit sourced from our San Ardo Ranch (just north of Paso Robles, CA) this Zinfandel was blended with Syrah and Petite Sirah. Planted on the highest peak, these chalky soils produce fruit of intense flavors and unique mineral qualities. Fermented in Stainless Steel and aged 11 months in 10% Eastern European Oak barrels.

TASTING NOTES: Subtle as a diva's climactic aria. Drab as a masquerade party at the height of Mardi Gras. Muted as a fireworks extravaganza on the 4th of July. A wine with such ridiculous flavor needs the explanatory power of sarcasm to characterize what it truly exemplifies. To be frank, the 2010 Central Coast Zinfandel is loaded with bright, distinctive, and vibrant fruit. It has brazen character highlighted by raspberries, strawberries, and boysenberries. Herbs and white pepper add a bit of spice to the lengthy and bountiful finish towards a satisfying and splendid grand finale.

TECHNICAL NOTES:	pH - 3.46
Malolactic Fermentation - 100%	Residual Sugar - .27
Total Acidity - .75g	Alcohol - 14.0%

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Your favorite everyday Zinfandel...



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