

*** * * FACT SHEET * * ***

2000 Paso Robles “Dante Dusi Vineyard” Zinfandel

VARIETAL (S): 100% Zinfandel
APPELLATION: 100% Paso Robles
VINEYARD (S): 100% Dante Dusi Vineyard
BRIX AT HARVEST: 25.0°
PH: 3.81
TA: 0.646
ALCOHOL: 15.1%
COOPERAGE: 30% New Oak, French & American, barrel aged for 10 months

FERMENTATION:

100% de-stemmed, with as many whole berries as possible, into 1-ton open top fermentors, punched down by hand 2-3 times per day. Pressed at dryness, settled, then racked to barrel. The yeast used was a commercial strain isolated from the Brunello Region of Italy (BM-45).

PRODUCTION: 175 cases

PRICING: Retail (recommended) \$30/bottle

NOTES: Nose of smoke and fruit (plums, raspberries). Quite extracted fruit flavors on palate, with some earthy/spice flavors. Not too tannic, but finishes strongly.