



TRENTADUE

2007

Petite Sirah

North Coast

61% Sonoma County

25% Mendocino County

14% Lake County

ALC. 14.8% BY VOL



Technical Data

Varietal: 75% Petite Sirah, 19% Syrah

4% Carignane, 1% Merlot

1% Cabernet Sauvignon

Appellation: North Coast - 61% Sonoma
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Production: 1179 Cases

Alcohol: 14.8%

Residual Sugar: 0.3%

Total Acid: 0.61g/100ml pH: 3.50

Aging: 20 months in 20% new French and
European Oak,

Fermentation: Small, open topped fermentors and stainless
steel tanks

Bottled Date: August, 2009

Release Date: November 2009

Winemaker: Miro Tcholakov

Winemaker Notes: Trentadue Winery has more than a four decades long tradition of making Petite Sirah and through the years has become one of the top producers of this California grape. This 2007 bottling is our second edition of non Estate Petite Sirah. Most of the grapes are from our Alexander Valley Estate - 61% - with the remainder coming from old vineyards in Mendocino's Redwood Valley and high elevation Lake County fruit. The 2007 vintage is shaping up to become one of the great vintages in this decade. This is a fruity wine showing intensely ripe and almost syrupy aromas and flavors of blueberry, blackberry and plums, which are typical for Petite Sirah. The color is intense dark purple, suggesting deep extraction and full body with a long, juicy and viscous finish. Further aeration reveals deeper, complex aromas of leather, cocoa powder, molasses and maple. This is a well endowed wine that will get better with age, but is enjoyable now.

Cheers !

Miro Tcholakov - Winemaker

