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*Cosa Obra celebrates the artistic nature of winemaking by focusing on small vineyard parcels and blending the resulting lots to create wines of seduction, power and grace.*

SONOMA COUNTY

## 2014 Proprietor's Blend

2014 marks our 7th vintage of Proprietor's Blend. This year we've added new fruit from the Alexander Valley to spice things up. Our Proprietor's Blend embodies everything we enjoy about Red Blends. Fruit forward, loads of dark berries, vanilla and spice. Full bodied and balanced. The style of wine we really enjoy making each year.

### Tasting Notes

Offers a heady nose of blackberry, blueberry, black pepper and hints of earth, reminiscent of Northern Rhône. Impressively rich, yet balanced and structured, this wine showcases intense dark and red fruit with a long finish of berries and spice.

Food pairing: Seared meats and rich pasta dishes.

### Winemaking

Grapes were picked in the darkness of the early morning hours, and immediately subjected to rigorous hand sorting and refinement process. The whole berries were gently delivered to tank. Cold soaks lasted five to seven days, and fermentations were managed via a combination of delestage and pumpovers. Extended maceration ranging from three to four weeks fine-tuned our tannin profiles, allowing us to perfect mouth feel and wine complexity. The wine was aged 30 months in 100% French oak, 25% of which was new.

### Analysis

Appellation: Alexander Valley, Sonoma County

Varietals: 100% Syrah

Aging: 30 Months in 100% French Oak, 25% New

pH: 3.73 | TA: 6.4 g/L

Alcohol: 14.5%

