

AXEL®

Colchagua Valley, Chile

SYRAH 2007

Deep, ruby red. The nose is complex, showing fruits like blackberries and raspberries, with hints of vanilla and tobacco. An expressive palate is potent yet fresh, touched with chocolate and mocha, and a good concentration of ripe tannins. Well-balanced, with a long, pleasant, finish.



VARIETAL COMPOSITION: 90% SYRAH
5% CARMENERE
5% PETIT VERDOT

Harvest

Harvest:	By hand
Vintage:	April, 2007
Appellation:	Colchagua Valley
Age of the vines:	16 years
Yield:	4 tons per acre
Production:	500 cases

Vinification

Maceration:	48 hours before fermentation
Fermentation:	Selected yeast, 28-30°C, 7 days
Malolactic:	Yes
Aging:	18 months in French & American oak, 4 mos. in bottle

Technical Information

Alcohol:	14.3%
Total Acidity:	5.16 g/l
Volatile Acidity:	0.62 g/l
PH:	3.41
Residual Sugar:	2.22 g/l
Free SO ₂ :	32 mg/l
Total SO ₂ :	80 mg/l