

DELMAS RELEASE

Delmas Syrah | Walla Walla Valley 2020

Deep purple-red hue with a captivating bouquet of violets, licorice, blackberry, huckleberry, five-spice powder, bacon fat, smoldering incense, and dark chocolate. Beautifully precise on the palate with notes of black plum, blackberry, truffles, nutmeg, allspice, white pepper, and stony minerality. Subtle hints of bittersweet chocolate, grilled thyme, and vanilla are also present. On the exquisite finish the wine has an umami character, full of salinity and stony minerality. Elegance, harmony, and finesse, this wine has it all! As many of the Delmas predecessors, this wine will appeal to the intellect as well as the palate. It will be difficult to cellar, but patience will be rewarded; this wine should reach a lovely phase of maturity in 7-9 years and will hold for approximately 15+ years.

91.8% Syrah, 8.2% Viognier from SJR Vineyard

425 Cases Produced

We strongly recommend opening Delmas Syrah a minimum of 2-3 hours before enjoying and decant if possible.

TECHNICAL DETAILS

- Alcohol 13.6%
- pH 4.03
- TA 5.4 g/L
- Cold soak 147 hours
- Punchdowns 2-3 times/day during fermentation
- Aged sur lie for 17 months in French Oak
- Oak profile is 51% new French oak (Tronçais) and 49% neutral French oak
- Racked once prior to bottling
- Unfined
- Unfiltered

