Abacela

2013 OREGON WINERY OF THE YEAR

TEMPRANILLO | ALBARIÑO | GARNACHA | MALBEC | SYRAH

2011 RESERVE TEMPRANILLO

ESTATE GROWN

Fruit Source: Abacela's Estate Fault Line Vineyards

Appellation: Umpqua Valley, Southern Oregon

Harvest Date: 17, 25 October 2011

At harvest: Sugar; 23.8° Brix pH; 3.89 TA; 8.55 grams/liter

At bottling: Sugar; Nil

Cooperage: French (100%), 90% new, 10% neutral

Bottling date: 9 August 2013 Alcohol: 13.8% by volume

Case Production: 53 (750 mL) SRP: \$60.00 (750 mL)

TASTING NOTES

Our single block reserve program is defined by provenance and quality. This reserve, only our fifth in 15 vintages, was once again sourced from the dry, sandy loam of South East Block. The aromas include ripe blackberry, boysenberry jam, lavender, oak, and leather. The flavors are intense and transcend a huge spectrum from ripe currants and plums, to savory spices. Perfectly balanced acidity, integrated oak and concentrated fruit culminate to a tannic, lengthy finish. This wine will improve in the cellar for ten to twelve years. For a sumptuous feast pair with Lechazo Asado one of the most famous dishes of Spain.