

# BROWN

NAPA VALLEY

## BROWN ESTATE 2012 PETITE SIRAH

<b>Composition</b>	95% Petite Sirah 5% Zinfandel
<b>Vineyard Source</b>	Petite Sirah – Gobbler Grove, Nichelini Zinfandel – Chiles Valley Block, Brown Estate
<b>Appellation</b>	Napa Valley
<b>Barrel Aging</b>	12 months in 50/50 French/American, 50% new
<b>Alcohol</b>	15.5% by vol.
<b>Production</b>	425 cases (12 x 750ml format)

### **Tasting Notes**

Dazzling intense blue-black core with electric magenta rim. Nose bursts with opulent Jamaican Christmas cake, cinnamon, nutmeg, cloves, brown sugar, and eucalyptus, followed by violets commingled with new Italian leather, dry resinous herbs, pencil shavings, and a touch of graphite laced with subtle vanilla. Big, bold, and full-bodied with luscious, dense mouthfeel and medium-plus tannins. Pair with something bold like lamb or your favorite cut of beef and Gorgonzola potatoes au gratin. Drink now for a full-throttle experience or age five years to life for a taste of the sublime!