



C'EST SI BON

A RED WINE

SIERRA FOOTHILLS

2012

PRODUCTION
1,657 cases (12-pack 750ml)

SOURCE
Naggiar Vineyard

BLEND
Grenache 47%
Mourvèdre 28%
Syrah 14%
Cinsault 7%
Counoise 4%

HARVEST DATES
September 11, 26
October 11

HARVEST BRIX
24.8° - 26.3°

MACERATION
15 day native yeast
fermentation

AGING
22 months in French
oak Puncheons
(10% new)

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3.74 5.8 g/L

ALCOHOL
14.5%

TASTING NOTES

C'est Si Bon means "It's so good!" It is a blend made from varietals indigenous to the Rhône Valley in Southern France that also grow remarkably well in the terroir of the Sierra Foothills.

This wine has intriguing aromas of wild strawberry, black raspberry, tangerine peel, herbes de Provence, and pomegranate along with subtle hints of earthy spice. On the palate, vibrant flavors of wild plum, raspberry, dried currant and a hint of minerality lead to a silky, sensuous mouthfeel and genuinely long finish. The 2012 C'est Si Bon is medium in body and amazingly well balanced with lively fruit, soft tannins and bright acidity. A perfect marriage of depth, balance and finesse. C'est si Bon is just way too easy to drink!

The versatile nature of this blend makes it a perfect pair with all sorts of cuisine, so use your imagination and enjoy!

THE VINEYARD

Naggiar Vineyard sits on a large knoll in Grass Valley, at an elevation of 1300 feet with sloping hillsides undulating around it. The gravelly soil provides ample drainage beneath the vines, which are sparsely irrigated to create low yields of tighter, more intense berries. The area's hot days, cool afternoon breezes and cold nights produce an ideal balance that contributes to the highest quality grapes, which are eventually picked by hand in the cool of the night.