

DUSTED VALLEY

TASTING ROOM & HEADQUARTERS

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NAME

2009 Rachis Syrah

APPELLATION

Columbia Valley

BLEND

97% Syrah, 3% Viognier (Co-ferment)
25% Whole Cluster

VINEYARD SOURCES

74% Stone Tree, 8% Lonesome Springs Ranch, 18% Birch Creek

WINE ANALYSIS

Total Acidity	7.12 grams/L
pH	3.77
Alcohol	15.1

OAK PROGRAM

Aged 16 months in barrel, 30% new tight grained heavy toast
Wisconsin oak, 70% neutral.

PRODUCTION

175

UPC

NA

RATINGS & AWARDS

2009 – Outstanding, *Wine Press Northwest*
2008 – 93 Points, *Wine Enthusiast*
2008 – 92 Points, *Wine Advocate*

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

This wine employs the traditional technique of whole cluster fermentation - stems and all. Funky and earthy, this process adds deep layers of complexity to our beloved witches' brew.

