



2021 Veracity

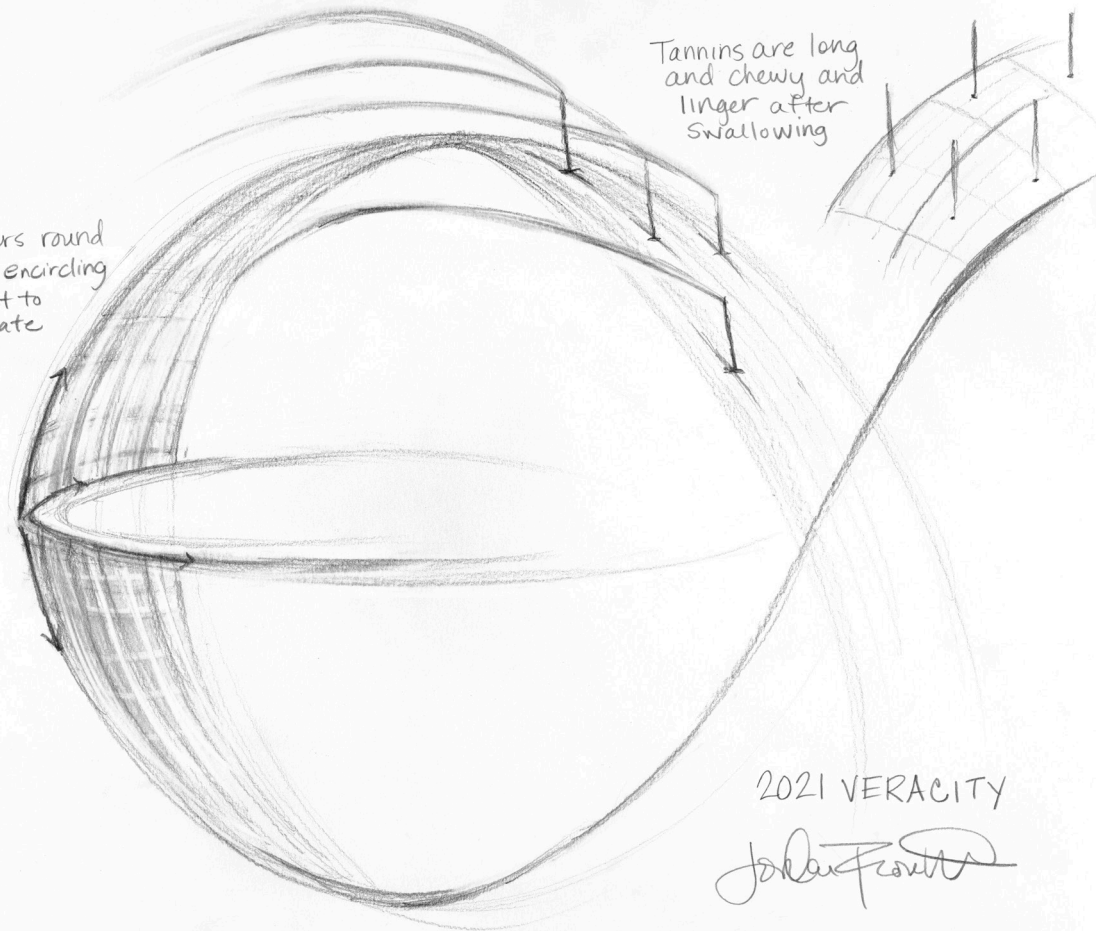
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Varietals:	43% Mourvèdre, 34% Grenache, 23% Syrah
Birthplace:	73% Paderewski, 14% York Mountain, and 13% Catapult Vineyards
Hometown:	Paso Robles AVA, Willow Creek District
Birth Date:	September 29 – October 18, 2021
Birth Weight:	26.5° Brix
Rearing:	Fermented predominantly in concrete tanks with a fraction in oak tank
Education:	Aged 17 months in French oak mid-sized barrels and puncheons (20% new)
GPA:	3.75 pH 6.0 g/L TA 14.9% Alc.
Graduation:	Bottled May 16, 2023
Siblings:	908 cases
Accolades:	99 points: <i>Wine Enthusiast</i> ; 98 points: <i>Jeb Dunnock</i> ; 95+ points, <i>Wine Advocate</i>
Biography:	Blurring the lines between old world and new world wine, our 2021 Veracity will send Rhône fanatics on a mind-blowing flavor adventure. Starting savory and deep with notes of umami, roasted meat, wet earth, creosote, and gun powder, this wine broadens in dimension with fruit and spice – white pepper, black raspberry, huckleberry, wild sage – adding notes of violets, black licorice, and pencil shavings. These complex flavors intermingle as the wine enters round and full, encircling the front and mid palate, smoothly leading to long, chewy tannins that linger on the finish.

- Jordan Fiorentini, Winemaker

Wine enters round
and full encircling
from front to
back palate

Tannins are long
and chewy and
linger after
swallowing



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John F. Smith

WINTER 2024