



PENTAD, VINTAGE RED WINE 2007 / Walla Walla Valley

Vineyard Appellations : 100% Walla Walla Valley
select sites

Grapes: 52% Cabernet Sauvignon, 18% Petit Verdot,
12% Malbec, 12% Merlot, 6% Carménère

Vintage Season: Warm vintage season, rapid, dry, full
maturation, normal crop level

Time in Cellar: 23 months in our finest French oak,
50% new

Aroma: lavender, clove, black plum

Taste: explosive red & black fruits & berries, sweet pungent
spice, fine tannins,

Alcohol: 13.8%

Lot size: 214 cases

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Tasted 14 months after bottling, our sixth Pentad release shows glass-coating red-purple color. The nose opens with high-toned floral, tropical and coniferous notes that are reminiscent of top-end brandies. Deeper in the glass lay black plum, and delicate pungent spice notes of clove and mace. Explosive sweet red and black fruit-berry open on the palate with a mouth-filling, almost overwhelming presence with a supporting fine-grained tannin and a warming alcohol and brightness underneath. Pentad concludes with a warm, full minute long, persistent, clean finish of fruit and sweet spice. This is a complete, cohesive, whole wine of complexity, depth and length. Will be a flexible companion with food, able to play well with a range of cuisine components.

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