

AXEL®

SYRAH ~ 2011

LIMARI VALLEY, CHILE

La Playa's Premium line of Chilean wines, named after the Axelsen family, the founders of Viña La Playa.

Composition: 100% Syrah

Yield: 3.25 tons per acre

Vintage: 2011

Production: 500 cases (6 pack)

Appellation: Limari Valley

Maceration: 72 hours before fermentation at 50°F

Age of Vines: 9 years

Fermentation: Selected yeast, 65 - 75°F, 10 days

Alcohol: 14%

Malolactic: Yes

pH: 3.53

Aging: 12 months in French & American Oak and at least an additional 6 months in the bottle

Residual Sugar: 3.3 g/L

Total Acidity: 5.13 g/L

An inky and sophisticated garnet. On the nose, ripe red fruit with hints of spice and game. It has a very persistent and rounded mouth feel with notes of toasted cocoa.

