



SBRAGIA

FAMILY VINEYARDS

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"A blast of dark red fruit melds into iron, smoke, tobacco and underbrush notes. In 2011 the flavors are bright and focused throughout. There are no hard edges or angular contours, but plenty of Dry Creek personality."

—Antonio Galloni, *Vinous Media*, Feb. 2014



Adam and Ed Sbragia, 3rd and 4th generation Dry Creek Valley winemakers.



2011 ANDOLSEN VINEYARD CABERNET SAUVIGNON *Dry Creek Valley | Sonoma County*

VINEYARD: Andolsen | 10 acres | Planted 1999

VARIETAL: 95% Cabernet Sauvignon, 5% Cabernet Franc

COOPERAGE: Aged 18 months in French oak barrels.

ALC: 13.7% **TA:** 6.61 gm/L **pH:** 3.92

WINEMAKER NOTES

We buy these grapes from Dr. Andolsen, our long-time friend and family doctor. The steep, terraced vineyard is located in Dry Creek's western foothills and the wine it makes offers an elegant, yet ripe, rich cherry characteristic that we always associate with this appellation. Adam and I blend in a small amount of Cabernet Franc adding structure and subtle, complimentary herbal characteristics.

Ed Sbragia *Adam Sbragia*

