

90 [Dierberg 2006 Syrah](#) Santa Ynez Valley

Tightly wound, pure and focused. Offers firm pomegranate, blackberry and wild berry fruit that's intense and full-bodied, revealing depth and dimension, yet cloaked in firm, dry tannins. —*J.L.*



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Very big, bold and powerful, this Syrah, from the warmer eastern portion of the appellation, shows a tannic robustness that strongly suggests cellaring. It's massive in blackberry, currant, plum, leather, tobacco and pepper flavors. Best 2010–2012. - S.H. (10/31/2009) -

