

# LUCCHESI

*Vineyards & Winery*

## WINE FACT SHEET

### 2005 ZINFANDEL

#### Technical Information:

Harvested: September 28- October 28, 2005

Blend: 100% Zinfandel

Appellation: Sierra Foothills

Sugar at Harvest: 26.5 °Brix

Alcohol: 16.7% by Volume

pH: 3.82

444 cases bottled January 2007

#### Winemaking:

Cold soaked for several days before inoculation with several different yeasts. Pressed at or near dryness then aged for 17 months in a combination of Hungarian, French and American oak barrels.

#### Tasting Notes:

Dense, inky garnet color greets the eye, followed by aromas of ripe blackberries, blueberries, and cinnamon spice. The palate is full of concentrated fruit flavors carried by soft, velvety tannins that lead to a hint of cocoa on the finish.

#### Food Pairing:

Our 2005 Zinfandel complements summer barbecues to winter roasts and is also a great wine for pizza night.

