

# Hyatt Vineyards

## *2010 Syrah*

**Appellation:** *Rattlesnake Hills*

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### Winemaker Notes:

**The 2010 Vintage:** *The growing season was favorable but a cool Spring delayed ripening while a warm Fall allowed us to pick a little later than usual with fine results.*

**The Wine:** *Strong Washington State Syrah nose of black fruits with vibrant black cherry and delicate stone-fruit center; good finish lingers pleasantly. Syrah from Washington is unlike Syrah from anywhere else on the planet and has generous fruit and modest tannins for an impression of dense fruit-rich flavors.*

**Food Matches:** *Smoked meats and seafood and especially strong (bleu!) cheeses.*

**Descriptors:** *Very friendly rich red wine for all red meat and fowl. Superb ripe flavors go well with smoked meats and barbeque.*

**Date of Harvest:** 10/14/2010

**Brix at Harvest:** 24.6    **pH:** 3.52

**T.A.:** 0.71        **Alcohol:** 14.3 %

**Varietal mix:** 100 % Syrah

**Type of oak:** American, 20% new barrels

**Cases produced:** 255

**Bottling Date:** 8/7/2012

**Suggested Retail:** *National:* \$ 12

*Steve Hovanes*

Winemaker