



RANCHO SISQUOC WINERY

Celebrating 30 Years of Fine Wines

2005 SANGIOVESE

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY
ESTATE GROWN AND BOTTLED

The Winery

Located on the Foxen Canyon Wine trail in Santa Barbara County, California, the winery is part of a 38,000 acre ranch. Rancho Sisquoc Winery is proud to have been hand crafting wines since 1972.

The Vineyard

Our vineyard is comprised of over 300 acres planted on south facing slopes on the Sisquoc River. Unique microclimates allow us to grow several varieties, and to produce grapes that offer distinct flavor and quality.

The Philosophy

Our winemaking philosophy is a simple one: We create high quality wines in limited quantities, and offer them at a reasonable price.

Winemaker's Notes

This Sangiovese has a vibrant color with a nose dominated by dried cherry and red fruits, and is nicely supported with herbs, hints of leather, and tobacco. The mouth is full of earthy tannins, cherry, rhubarb, and cranberry. The forward structure throughout this wine helps it to finish dry and clean.

-Alec Franks

Wine Facts – 2005 Sangiovese

Vineyard & Appellation	<i>Flood Family Vineyards, Santa Maria Valley, Santa Barbara County</i>
Composition	<i>100% Sangiovese</i>
Harvest	<i>September, 2005</i>
Barrel Notes	<i>Aged 28 months in French oak.</i>
Fermentation	<i>Partial Malolactic fermentation.</i>
Press	<i>Whole berry to full crush.</i>
Fining & Filtration	<i>Unfiltered</i>
pH	<i>3.23</i>
TA	<i>9.2 g/L</i>
Alcohol	<i>14.5%</i>
Production	<i>220 cases.</i>
Bottling Date	<i>February, 2008</i>
Suggested Retail Price	<i>\$25.00</i>