



DeLILLE CELLARS

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Doyenne 2006 AIX

The AIX has a higher percentage of syrah this year, and bears it out with a nose of wild berries, flowers, lavender and cured meats.

The palate shows the freshness of the 2006 vintage with bright loganberries and orange blossom notes. The structure, while approachable now, promises plenty for the future, with fine-grained tannins and an almost Old World-Style acidity that will make it a great guest at the table.



Appellation ..... 100% Red Mountain

Varietal .....  
64.5% Syrah  
35.5% Cabernet Sauvignon

Vineyard Breakdown .....

33% Ciel du Cheval Syrah  
26.5% Grand Ciel Syrah  
5% Kiona End of the Road Ranch Syrah  
19% Ciel du Cheval Cabernet Sauvignon  
16.5% Grand Ciel Cabernet Sauvignon

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91 Points

*“Elegant and smooth-textured, it is nicely balanced with savory fruit, lively acidity, and enough structure to evolve for 1-2 years.”*