

## 1999 Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon

The 1999 Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon is a blend of 90% Shiraz and 10% Cabernet Sauvignon. While the fruit was predominantly sourced from the Hollick Coonawarra vineyards, some Shiraz from selected vineyards in the Limestone Coast have contributed to the final blend. It is a wine which has been made in the tradition of the great Shiraz blends which have helped make the region famous.

1999 witnessed another great vintage to follow the exemplary 1998. Reduced yields, small berries and a warm, dry ripening season ensured that the grapes achieved desired ripeness and excellent flavour intensity. Maturation in French and American oak hogsheads for 12 months has added complexity and structure to the finished wine.

The 1999 Shiraz Cabernet Sauvignon presents with red/purple colours. The Shiraz component contributes aromas and flavours of finely ground black pepper and ripe berry characters. The Cabernet Sauvignon enhances the ripe berry character of the wine and adds to the structure and persistence of flavour.

The harmonious balance of this wine enables it to be consumed now, although cellaring for 4-7 years will be rewarded.

Red or white meats with robust sauces and mature cheeses are ideal accompaniments. Try with Coonawarra Lamb Shanks or Kangaroo fillet with a Shiraz jus.

## **Technical Details:**

Alc/Vol 13.0% 3.51 рН Total Acidity 5.57g/l

15th July 2000 Bottled



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750 ml