

SIDEWOOD SHIRAZ 2020

[ANALYSIS]

Alcohol | 14.5% alc/vol

pH | 3.60

Acid | 6.1 g/L

Closure | Stelvin

Oak | 18 Months French Oak

Bottling Date | June 2021

[VINIFICATION]

Yielded at 7mt per ha. Majority hand picked, partial Pellenc selective harvested. Wild yeast fermented. Partial whole-bunch, whole-berry, extended maceration. French oak 300L puncheons and 500L hogshead for 18 months. 25% new. An astonishing 12 separate clones of Shiraz from our vineyards across the Adelaide Hills make this a layered, complex wine. Barrel selection prior to bottling at the estate.

[TASTING NOTES]

Displaying aromas of red fruits, blackcurrant, dark chocolate and an elegant spiciness which lead to a palate with generous flavours of white pepper, leather and raspberry. Rich and silky tannins linger on the palate with seamless persistence. Delicious on its own or as a versatile partner to filet mignon or truffle and porcini pasta.

[AWARDS]

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