

EBENEZER
SHIRAZ

VINTAGE 2021
BAROSSA VALLEY

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Background

These wines represent vineyard and varietal combinations which are recognised for excellence from South Australia's most celebrated growing regions. We aim for nothing but the highest standards of quality for these small batch wines, drawing on our exceptional fruit sources and our skilled and experienced winemaking team.

The Variety

Shiraz is the jewel in Australia's wine crown - widely (and successfully) planted in an array of regions, microclimates and soil types. It has proved itself an extremely versatile variety, producing full-bodied, ripe berry examples from the warm regions, through to lean and spicy styles from the cool.

Winemaking

The 2021 Shiraz is sourced from the Lienert and Schutz vineyards, which are both approaching peak maturity with an average age of 25 years. This season was known for excellent growing conditions with no disease pressure, very high quality and generous yields. Following harvest, the shiraz fruit for this wine went through a controlled ferment, plunged 3 times daily, then pressed off before maturation in seasoned oak. 20% new French oak Hogsheads for 12 months maturation.

Tasting notes

- Colour:** Deep red core with purple hues.
- Aroma:** Complex nose with ripe fruits, bramble and integrated oak. Nice florals finished off with red liquorice, strawberry and some darker fruits.
- Palate:** Full palate with tight, clean, acid lines. Mid-palate sweetness, long and lingering tannins, lifted florals and oak that carries through to the finish.

Technical

- Alcohol:** 14.5% **TA:** 5.88g/L
RS: 0.4g/L **pH:** 3.61
Other: Vegan

