



## 1998 Majella Shiraz

Established and owned by the Lynn family, the Majella vineyard is situated on the eastern edge of the famous Coonawarra “red strip”. This wine was made from 100% Shiraz grapes grown on that vineyard.

1998 was seen as one of the “Great” vintages from Coonawarra and this wine is no exception

Magenta in colour, with aromas of cinnamon, oak and cracked pepper. A complex palate of layered fruit and chocolate with a firm, tannic finish.

Fermentation was completed in small oak barrels, and the wine was aged for a further 22 months in American oak hogsheads.

Cellaring potential: 7-11 years

**4 GOLD MEDALS**

**6 SILVER MEDALS**

**5 BRONZE MEDALS**

*“The 1998 Shiraz, aged completely in American oak ,..... shows dense purple colour, textured, full-bodied flavours that are penetrating, brilliantly well defined, and strikingly pure. Again, a long finish, no heaviness, and an almost seamlessness to the wine make it indeed a special offering.”*

*Robert J Parker Jnr, The Wine Advocate, June 2001*

*“...perfumed and cheeky to sniff...The palate is immediately serious....Stylishly poised...”*

*Philip White, Adelaide Advertiser 31/5/2000*