



## 2005 Majella Shiraz

### Specifications:

**Variety: 100 % Shiraz**

**Region: Coonawarra, South Australia**

**Harvest Date: Late March**

The Majella Shiraz first appeared in 1991 and has since acquired a reputation as one of Coonawarra's finest Shiraz's.

Deep, dark purple in colour, the nose is spicy with hints of cherry, dark chocolate and cedary oak. The wine has a robust palate showing great berry characters with hints of cloves, cinnamon, chocolate and black pepper.

The tannins are quite soft and complement the long, lingering finish.

As ever the fermentation was completed in 300 litre barrels and the wine was then aged for a further 22 months in a combination of French and American oak.

We present it as a great example of Coonawarra Shiraz at its very best.

**Ageing potential:** 8 – 10 years **Winemaker:** Bruce Gregory