



Cabernet Shiraz Merlot

The first Wynns blend (then named Cabernet Hermitage) was produced in 1969, allowing Wynns a long history with this traditional Australian-style blend.

The "red-stripe" blend of three red varieties creates a versatile wine suited to many occasions. Soft fruit and judicious oak create a wine that is perfect for current drinking or medium-term cellaring. The Wynns Cabernet Shiraz Merlot is a well-balanced and approachable wine, providing a true reflection of ts regionality.

Winemaker Comments: Sue Hodder / Sarah Pidgeon

Region: Coonawarra

Grape Variety: Cabernet Sauvignon 51% Shiraz 37%

Merlot 12%

Alcohol: 13.4%

Technical Analysis:

RS 0.5 (dry), pH 3.57, TA 5.5gL

Maturation:

14 months maturation using a mixture of French oak planks and barrels.

Colour:

Vibrant purple

Nose:

Rich dark notes of blueberry and black olive. Elegant red cherry and violets complete the bouquet. Hints of spicy oak and mulberry leaf add finesse and layers.

Palate:

Concentrated blueberry, liquorice and ground coffee flavours give depth, with bright red cherry and boysenberry top notes adding up to a succulent, flowing, moreish whole. Versatile as ever, this classic Wynns blend is equally at home with a chicken parmigiana, nachos or steak & chips.

Cellaring:

Enjoy on release or cellar carefully for up to 7 years