

HEARTLAND

2004 Petit Verdot

Hearthland Wines was created by a small group of leading South Australian wine identities who are all good friends and share a passion for making great wine. The directors are second generation winemakers Ben Glaetzer and Scott Collett, fifth generation viticulturalist Geoff Hardy and wine industry professionals Grant Tilbrook and Vicki Arnold

All the wines are made by Ben Glaetzer and are made with fruit from the director's own mature vineyards in the Limestone Coast and Langhorne Creek, South Australia.



Region: Limestone Coast 100%

Varieties: 90% Petit Verdot & 10% Shiraz

Vinification: Petit Verdot has an inherent complexity that is elevated by small batch open fermentation. The ferment was cold macerated before yeast inoculation and then fermented on skins for 7 days. The wine completed primary and malolactic fermentation in 30% new French oak and 70% 2-3 year old American Oak and was then barrel matured for 14 months prior to racking, blending and bottling.

Tasting Notes: Rich, brick red with purple hues. This delightful wine shows luscious plums and violets on the nose. These characters follow through to a dense, full-bodied palate with a long and persistent finish.

Alcohol: 14.0%

Total Acidity: 6.6 g/l

pH: 3.52

Residual Sugar: 0.45g/l

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