



ICON OF THE BAROSSA

# '100 Year Old Vines' Shiraz 2014



## Heritage

Château Tanunda was established in 1890 and is the site of some of the first vines planted in the Barossa in the 1840s as well as the Valley's first winery. The 'Old Vines' series is all about showcasing the significant history and special wine characteristics and of a selection of old vine vineyards for which the Barossa valley is world famous.

## Vineyard

The Barossa is home to some of the world's oldest ungrafted Shiraz vines and the grapes for this wine come from just two small vineyards in the Eden and Nuriootpa sub-regions of the Barossa. The low-yielding 'Centenarian' vines, noted for their intensity of flavor, were planted more than a century ago around the time construction of the Château itself began.

## Winemaking

The grapes are destemmed, but not crushed, and spent seven days in a small open stainless steel fermenters. We gently hand plunge and pump-over the must several times per day for a gentle extraction of aromas, colour and tannins.

Upon completion of fermentation, the wine is then gently basket-pressed and allowed to naturally complete malolactic fermentation in a combination of new and seasoned American and French oak barrels, before 20 months maturation in our cellars. Bottled unfiltered and unfiltered.

**Production:** 4800 bottles.

## Notes and Reviews

Medium to deep red colour with a tinge of purple. The bouquet is blackberry and dark plum, sweet and very ripe deliciousness, gorgeous fruit and juiciness. Deep, lush and supple, ample tannins, but they're ripe and fleshy.

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**Gold Medal – Berlin Wine Trophy 2016; Gold Medal – Syrah Du Monde 2016**

Alc/Vol:	14.5 %	Closure:	Cork
TA:	6.18 g/l	Maturation:	20 Months New and Seasoned French and American Oak.
RS:	0.5 g/l	Potential Cellaring:	15-20 Years
pH	3.5	Winemaker:	Stuart Bourne



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