



Gumpara Wines

Barossa Valley, Australia

Family Owned Vineyards

For Six Generations

TASTING NOTES

2013 VICTOR'S OLD VINE SHIRAZ



PRODUCT	Victor's Old Vine Shiraz
VINTAGE	2013
APPELLATION	Barossa Valley
VARIETY	100% Shiraz
HARVEST DATE	15th February 2013
BOTTLING DATE	2nd April 2014
ALCOHOL	15%
TA	6.6
PH	3.55

VITICULTURE

Made from 100% Barossa Valley Shiraz from fifty year old dry grown vines. Each year, this single vineyard receives special attention. Traditional hand pruning methods are applied, the fruit is harvested at what is considered to be optimal ripeness and flavour in accordance to terrior, soil type and micro climate.

VINIFICATION

Crushed and de-stemmed into open fermenters, with fermentation temperature controlled at 25°C. Must is pumped over each day. Free run is removed from skins and gently pressed via air bag batch press, with free run and pressings reblended prior to malolactic fermentation.

MATURATION

13 months in French and American oak hogsheads.

COMMENTS

The 2013 Barossa vintage was outstanding and rides on the back of the unforgettable 2012 which some claim to be the best in a generation. Dry weather conditions and a record early vintage led to quite small berry size, intense flavours, with great colour and firm tannins displayed in this Barossa Shiraz. Aged in new and seasoned French and American oak hogsheads for an extended period added to this wines complexity, structure and balance. Drink now or be rewarded by cellaring until 2026

CELLARING

This wine is a pleasure to drink now but will benefit from careful cellaring. Cellaring recommendation 2013-2026.

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