

Blue Reef

2007 Shiraz



The Blue Reef wine range is a newly released product range committed to helping the ZooX Fund™, an organisation specifically dedicated to funding research into the effects of climate change on the Great Barrier Reef.

Varieties: 100% Shiraz
Alcohol: 14.5%
Total Acidity: 6.23 g/L

HARVEST NOTES

The conditions in 2007 were extremely dry with vintage starting two weeks earlier than expected and finishing a month earlier than usual, this being the quickest vintage in our history. As a result, yields were down approximately 30% in our Central Victorian vineyards but the quality was of an extremely high standard. Due to the lack of water, berries were smaller and bunch weights were lower but this has seen an increase in colour and flavour intensity across the board. This season was definitely about quality rather than quantity.

WINE DESCRIPTION

Inky-purple in colour, the Blue Reef Shiraz bursts with juicy fruit flavours. Aromas and flavours of ripe plums and blackberries are evident at first, with secondary aromas of chocolate and spice adding intrigue and complexity to the wine. Well-integrated American oak and soft tannins help create a supple, smooth wine with impressive length.

CELLARING

2008 - 2011



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