

# HUGO WINES



FAMILY OWNED & ESTATE GROWN



## Hugo Shiraz

Single Estate  
2015



1972 Shiraz block

### Vineyard

Sourced from two outstanding blocks planted by John Hugo in 1972 (45 yo) & 1988 (29 yo) on the Hugo estate picked at individual optimal times.

Single cordon with fixed foliage/catch wires

The Shiraz block planted in 1988 were handpicked.

Vineyard elevation 175 meters above sea level

### Winemaking

Fermented on skins for 6 days in pump over fermenters

Aged in French & American Oak hogsheads (50/50)

20% new Oak & remaining 80% 1-3 year old barrels for 16 months

### Tasting notes

#### *Colour*

Clear, with dark intense dark maroon with purple hues

#### *Bouquet*

Volumes of plum, raspberry, blackberry and spice with lifted aromatic and spices.

#### *Palate*

Elegant, plum, blackberry, blueberry and forest berries with spice and black pepper. The palate length giving influences of spice and fennel with a hint of mint. The delicate balance of this medium bodied estate grown Shiraz is maintained by crisp acid and silky tannins.

A wine that will develop for many years but has an attractive approachable character making it good drinking at any age.

### Serve with

Braised beef cheeks and mash, Lamb necks with artichokes and broad beans or Rack of Lamb.

