

## MOLLY'S GARDEN SHIRAZ SANGIOVESE, CORIOLE

Vintage

2024



Shiraz has long been Coriole's principal variety and was first planted on the estate in 1919, while Sangiovese was planted at Coriole in 1983. Molly's Garden is a reference to the beautiful gardens of Coriole, established by Mary Kathleen 'Molly' Lloyd, grandmother of Duncan.

### TASTING NOTE

The nose shows spiced plum and blackberry with notes of cinnamon, violet and vanilla. The palate is fresh and lively, showing more red fruit with fresh cherry, blackberry and savoury spice characters. The wine is persistent and concentrated, and the flavours linger long. 60% Shiraz, 40% Sangiovese

### VINTAGE CONDITIONS

Vine growth started relatively early with cool but sunny and dry conditions, followed by a dramatic change from mid-November 2023 to mid-January 2024. Wind and rain dictated the summer period, all irrigation was stopped and canopy trimming and leaf plucking was required to ensure sufficient light onto fruit for ripening. In late January, the rain stopped and there was a prolonged dry and warm weather pattern including a mini-heatwave in March. The Shiraz looked impressive with great colour and concentration of fruit.

### TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	Residual sugar
14.0	0.4
pH	Acidity
3.64	5.9

### ATTRIBUTES



Origin

Australia



Variety

Sangiovese/ Shiraz



Malolactic Fermentation

Yes



Bottle Size

75cl



Vegetarian

Yes



Winemaker

Duncan Lloyd



Fining Agent



Closure

Screw top



Region

McLaren Vale



Vegan

Yes