

MOLLY'S GARDEN SHIRAZ SANGIOVESE, CORIOLE



Vintage

2022



TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	Residual sugar
14.1	0.5
рН	Acidity
3.66	5.9

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 mulberry with wild thyme and liquorice notes. The palate is fresh and lively, showing more red fruit with some lovely cherry, blackberry and savoury spice characters. The wine is persistent and concentrated, and the flavours linger long. 70% Shiraz, 30% Sangiovese

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

At Coriole, the 2022 vintage had similar beginnings to the fantastic 2021 vintage, with healthy rainfall through the preceding winter and early spring. During La Niña conditions it was a relatively dry November and December, with cooler temperatures. There was a resultant yield loss in several varieties due to poor fruit set, affecting quantity but not quality. The new year continued with cooler than average conditions with no extreme heat events, allowing even ripening and delaying harvest until late February. Shiraz and sangiovese looked excellent coming off the vine with great fruit condition and concentrated flavours.

ATTRIBUTES

