

LLOYD RESERVE SHIRAZ, CORIOLE

Vintage

2021





TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	Residual sugar
14.2	0.4
рН	Acidity
3.68	5.9

Lloyd Reserve Shiraz is produced from a single vineyard at Coriole that was planted in 1919 and the first wine released in 1989.

TASTING NOTE

A beautifully dense and fragrant vintage of Lloyd Shiraz showing spiced mulberry, fresh tobacco, lavender and soy. A plush and full entry that continues with unfurling layers of tannin. The tannins are full and long giving great persistence and presence. The palate is full bodied but elegant with dark floral notes, blackberry, ripe plum, liquorice and a subtle vanillan note.

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

2021 will be sure to be remembered as one of the great vintages in McLaren Vale. The vintage started off well with slightly above average rainfall through the winter and spring of 2020. Once the growing season commenced, healthy vines, and mild conditions through spring and summer persisted. Vintage kicked off in mid-February and a well-spaced vintage saw the last fruit picked in mid-April. Shiraz had fantastic fruit condition and even ripening made life easy in the winery where each block expressed its identity – bright fruit and juicy flavours, with ripe, full tannin structures and impressive length of flavour.

VINIFICATION DETAILS

The wine is matured in French oak for approximately 18 months and then receives 18+ months in bottle before release.

AWARDS

Halliday Wine Companion: 96 pts

ATTRIBUTES

