

Majors Hill Shiraz 2004

A dense, deep ruby-red wine with a lovely ripe fruit bouquet with a nice spicy, mulberry palate. Soft approachable tannin structure.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

winery : Majors Hill Winery

winemaker : Alkie van der Merwe

wine of origin : Robertson

analysis : **alc** : 15.0 % vol **rs** : 3.75 g/l **pH** : 3.6 **ta** : 5.7 g/l

type : Red **wooded**

pack : Bottle

ageing : Up to 7 years.

in the vineyard : Soil Type: Loamy river sediment

Age of Vines: 6 years

Viticulture practice: Trellised to a height of 2.4 meter. Green dropping to ensure even ripeness. Yield control by water shortage

management. The irrigation control also ensures a small berry with concentrated flavours. Springtime pruning.

Yield per Hectare: 6 tons

about the harvest: Only healthy optimum ripened, hand harvested grapes were selected in March 2004.

in the cellar : Our gravity system ensures the least damage to the pips and skins, thus ensuring a soft, approachable tannin structure.

Wood ageing: 12 Months in French (80%) and American (20%) oak barrels.