

Nitida Shiraz 1998

Upfront plum flavours are balanced with a lovely smooth spicy/pepper finish. Smooth and elegant but maintains its flavours with food because of a well-balanced tannin structure.

variety: Shiraz | Shiraz

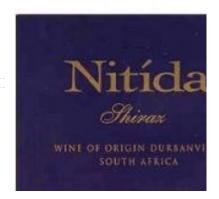
winery: Nitida
winemaker: RJ Botha
wine of origin: Durbanville

analysis: **alc**:13,2 % vol **rs**:2,9 g/l **pH**:3,90 **ta**:5,8 g/l

type: Red

in the cellar: 100% open fermenter, cap punched through by hand every 4 hours. Fermentation at 30 degrees to enhance cultivar flavours and colour extraction. Controlled temperature manipulation during fermentation was used to bring the pepper and spice to the fore. A year in only 2nd and 3rd fill wood gives soft complementary tannins.





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