

Saronsberg Full Circle 2007

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The wine has a deep, dark purple colour with prominent ripe plum, red berry and floral flavours with undertones of spice. The oak is well balanced with full, firm yet accessible tannins.

variety : Shiraz | 85% Shiraz, 10% Mourvèdre, 5% Viognier

winery : Saronsberg Cellar

winemaker : Dewaldt Heyns

wine of origin : Breede River

analysis : alc : 15 % vol rs : 3.7 g/l pH : 3.58 ta : 5.2 g/l va : 0.57 g/l so2 : 75 mg/l fso2 : 32 mg/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Fragrant **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

Veritas 2012 - Double Gold

SA Wine Ratings 2010 - 96+ Club

in the vineyard :

Cultivar: Shiraz 85%, Mourvedre 10%, Viognier 5%

Clones: SH1, SH2, MT11, V1642

Rootstock: R99 and Mgt 101-14

Age: Average 9 years

Soil: Structured red soils with coarse gravel and weathered shale soils

about the harvest:

Harvest: 12 February to 3 March 2007

Yield: 4.5 tons per hectare (31 hl/ha)

Balling: 25.5°B

pH: 3.30 – 3.60

Total acid: 6.0 – 7.8 g/l

The grapes were hand-picked in the early morning and force cooled to 4 °C

