

Bon Courage Inkara Shiraz 2009

Complex amalgam red berried fruit with soft tones of chocolate and espresso. Mulberry with sweet spice and smoky oak. lingers on to the palate. Round and full with a velvet character. Silky texture palate with supple tannins and lots of horsepower.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

winery : Bon Courage Estate

winemaker : Jacques Bruwer

wine of origin : Breede River

analysis : alc : 15.2 % vol rs : 4.5 g/l pH : 3.6 ta : 5.6 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

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ageing : Excellent ageing potential.

about the harvest: Grapes were harvested at 26° Balling.

Yield: 6 tons/ha

in the cellar : The wine was whole berry fermented and cold soaked. Halfway through fermentation, half of the wine was pumped into American Oak barrels to ferment dry. The rest was left to ferment dry on the skin. It was then racked into French Oak barrels. The wine was oak matured for 18 - 24 months on 100% new oak.

