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Knorhoek Shiraz 2011

Rich plum and young berry flavours enhanced by mixed spice and white pepper flavours on the nose. On the palate the wine is soft and tannins are well integrated with the fruit and oak.

To be enjoyed with a wide variety of meats, game and spicy foods.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz
winery : Quoin Rock
winemaker : Arno Albertyn
wine of origin :
analysis : **alc :** 14.5 % vol **rs :** 3.5 g/l **pH :** 3.54 **ta :** 5.5 g/l
type : Red **style :** Dry **wooded**
pack : Bottle **size :** 0 **closure :** Cork

ageing : Drink now or in next five years.

in the vineyard : Shiraz grapes are planted at high altitude on a warmer north facing soil.
Irrigation: Drip

about the harvest: Grapes are picked at optimum ripeness.

in the cellar : The Shiraz grapes are fermented in open fermenters and the cap is manually punched down. Extended skin contact is given after fermentation. Matured in French oak barrels for 18 months. 20% New barrels are used to enhance the wood and fruit balance.

Bottles produced: 4020 (670 x 6 bottle cases)

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