

## Unsung Hero Fairtrade Shiraz 2014

Deep, vibrant ruby coloured. Pungent spice and fruit on nose, coupled with subtle toasty vanilla oak complimenting the blackcurrant/raspberry aromas. Medium bodied palate with easy tannin structure and length.

Suitable for Vegetarians and Vegans Contains no GM ingredients

**variety :** Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

**winery :** Origin Wine

**winemaker :** Alain Cajoux

**wine of origin :** Western Cape

**analysis :**

**type :** Red **body :** Full **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

**in the vineyard :** Trellis system 3 Wire

Irrigation Yes

Soil Hutton, Clay & light stone

Climate Coastal

**about the harvest:** Date: Middle March

Type: Handpicked

Yield: 8-9 ton/ha

**in the cellar :** Crushing/Destemming Gentle Destalking

Tanks (type) Stainless Steel

Pre-fermentation maceration 3 days @ 10° C. Standard (2 × pumpovers) maceration at <30°C until dry

Yeast Strain Oenoferm Rouge

Malolactic (y/n) No

Lees contact / battonage No

Barrel ageing (oak type, % of blend, duration) No

Method of oak maturation Yes, 10% American Oak MT staves

Fining Bentonite

Filtration Kieselguhr

Stabilisation Cold at -4° C

