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Leopards Leap Shiraz 2015

WINE STYLE: Medium-bodied, typical Rhône style characteristics. NOSE: Lively layers of red fruit, intertwined with subtle whiffs of white pepper. PALATE: Hints of liquorice on the palate culminate in elegant lingering aftertaste.

This wine is the perfect partner to tomato-based Italian foods and wood-fire grilled meats.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz
winery : Leopards Leap Family Vineyards
winemaker : Eugene van Zyl
wine of origin : Paarl
analysis : **alc :** 13.5 % vol **rs :** 3.7 g/l **pH :** 3.50 **ta :** 5.4 g/l
type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **taste :** Fragrant **wooded**
pack : Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Screwcap



in the vineyard :

Grapes come from Swartland and Perdeberg in Agter-Paarl. Sorted, destemmed and crushed.
Fermentation took place with selected yeast accompanied by pump-overs and punch-downs at 28 degrees Celsius.

about the harvest:

Grapes were picked at 24.5° Balling.

in the cellar :

50% of the wine was matured in 225-litre French oak barrels for a period of 12 months. The balance of the wine was oak staved for 9 months
with added micro-oxygenation.

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