Groote Post Shiraz 2001

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Top 100 Wines Sydney Tasting - Medium bodied Dry Red Wines
4 Star Wine Magazine April 2003
Michelangelo International Wine Award 2002 - Gold
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The grapes are from an old bush vine vineyard, which yielded a mere four tons per hectare of tiny berries. Judging that the fruit quality warranted it, we went for 100% new oak, and did malolactic fermentation in the barrel to get optimal integration. The wine in bottle undeniably bears the stamp of new oak, but it is cloaked in thick layers of velvety fruit.

variety : Shiraz | Shiraz
winery : Groote Post Vineyards
winemaker : Lukas Wentzel
wine of origin : Coastal
analysis : **alc :** 15.0 % vol **rs :** 2.5 g/l **pH :** 3.69 **ta :** 5.6 g/l
type : Red
pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

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ageing : We expect the fruit to be a little closed-down until 2003, and would drink it until at least 2007

in the vineyard : Soil: Oakleaf
Yield: 4 tons per hectare
Irrigation: None
Trellising: 5 wire extended Perold

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested at 26Â° Balling.

in the cellar : The wine was matured in wood for 11 months. The wine was bottled in July 2002.

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