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Devon Hill Shiraz 2002

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Veritas 2004 - Double Gold
The Shiraz is mouth-filling, but smooth and has a dark purple colour. A powerful wine! Cherry tobacco, meaty and earthy aromas with hints of mint and fudge.

variety : Shiraz | 100% Shiraz
winery : Devon Hill Winery
winemaker : Theo Brink
wine of origin : Devon Valley
analysis : **alc :** 13.5 % vol **rs :** 2.5 g/l **pH :** 3.53 **ta :** 5.46 g/l
type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **wooded**
pack : Bottle

Veritas 2004 - Double Gold
Veritas 2003 - Silver

in the vineyard : As the Valley lies less than 20km from the False Bay coast, it is greatly affected by the cool south sea breezes, which prevail in the summer months. Winter brings on the moisture-laden northwest winds, which result in most of the Valleyâ€™s 750 mm of annual rainfall.
Soil: Deep red, decomposed Granite soil.
Trellising: Hedged (Perold system).

about the harvest: Yield: 5 tonnes / ha

in the cellar : Grapes were harvested from a single vineyard at 24Â°B. The fermentation took place at 25 â€“ 28Â°C with pump-overs at regular intervals. Fermented until dry before being pressed, only the free-run wine was used. Malolactic fermentation was allowed before maturation in 1/3 new and 2/3 second fill barrels for 12 months.