

## Groote Post Shiraz 2002

**NOT AVAILABLE FOR TASTING AT CELLAR DOOR**

Fairbairn Capital Trophy Wine Show 2005 - Bronze  
Veritas 2004 - Gold  
Michelangelo International Wine Awards 2004 - Silver  
Swiss International Wine Award 2004 - Bronze

The wine in bottle undeniably bears the stamp of oak, but it is cloaked in thick layers of velvety fruit. We expect the fruit to be a little closed-down until 2004, and would drink it until at least 2008.



**variety :** Shiraz | 100% Shiraz

**winery :** Groote Post Vineyards

**winemaker :** Lukas Wenzel

**wine of origin :** Coastal

**analysis :** alc : 14.6 % vol rs : 1.4 g/l pH : 3.81 ta : 6.01 g/l

**type :** Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Fragrant **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle **closure :** Cork

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**in the vineyard :** Soil: Oakleaf

Yield: 4t/ha

Irrigation: None

Trellising: Bushvine

**about the harvest:** The grapes are from an old bush vine vineyard, which yielded a mere four tons per hectare of tiny berries. The grapes were harvested at 26° Balling.

**in the cellar :** Wood maturation: 13 months

Bottled: September 2003

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