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Swartland Shiraz

Dry, full-bodied, deep red wine with a peppery/smoky finish on the palate. Soft and rich with ageing potential.



variety : Shiraz | Shiraz
winery : Swartland Winery
winemaker : Andries Blake
wine of origin : Coastal
analysis : **alc :** 13.82 % vol **rs :** 2.2 g/l **pH :** 3.67 **ta :** 5.15 g/l **so2 :** 60 mg/l **fso2 :** 42 mg/l
type : Red
pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

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ageing : Soft and rich with ageing potential.

in the vineyard : Soil: Grown as bush vine on medium potential soil of decomposed granite on the foothills of the Paardeberg and unirrigated.
Climate: The Swartland falls within the coastal winter rainfall area. Warm, dry summers, moderated by cool Atlantic breezes.
Annual rainfall: 400mm average.

about the harvest: All Shiraz come from bushvines. It is hand harvested at optimum ripeness.