

byrne vineyards



THOMSON ESTATE Old Pumphouse Shiraz 2010

The story of Thomson Estate dates back to 1838 when Walter and Jane Thomson sailed from Britain to South Australia, with records of the day listing Walter as a Farmer and a Vigneron.



REGION	ALCOHOL	CELLARING
Riverland	14%	2016

FRUIT

This Shiraz was hand selected at vintage from our family property at Glen Devlin on the River Murray. The parcels were kept to one side, crushed and fermented separately in order to retain the quality seen on the vine.

WINEMAKING

The richness of the fruit in its natural state meant that minimal intervention was required in the winery. Kept separate from the bulk of our Riverland Shiraz, these parcels were left on skins for some time in order to develop the keen tannin structure, then fermented in stainless steel. The wine was bottled mid 2011.

AROMA

Concentrated raspberry and slight hints of vanilla.

PALATE

A plummy richness with forest berry notes, fine herbal nuances and a lingering warmth on the palate. A persistent finish, marked by a fine tannin structure and deceptive strength.



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