



2018 Antiquarian Limited Clare Valley Shiraz

An Antiquarian is a collector of rare or ancient books and curios, a name befitting this rare and exclusive wine. Antiquarian wines, the pinnacle of quality, are hand crafted from only the very best parcels.

This 2018 Antiquarian Shiraz was selected from the finest Clare Valley grapes, fermented in a small open fermenter for 10 days, and matured in French and American oak hogsheads and barriques. The wine is glorious upon release and will develop even greater complexity with careful cellaring.

Alcohol	15.0%
Closure	Diam driven closure is selected for Antiquarian to deliver a consistent result of the highest quality.
Fruit	100% Shiraz
pH	3.51
Sugar	0.69
Titrateable Acidity	6.6
Region	Clare Valley, South Australia
Production	Less than 200 dozens
Bottled	April 2020
Cellar	8-10 years, to 2028



The 2018 vintage conditions were long and slow with low rainfall and above average ambient temperatures. This dry period continued right through the growing season resulting in perfect finishing conditions.

Colour	Dark purple and cherry plum red.
Nose	Lashings of raspberry and dark plum, shining, alongside toasty French and American oak aromatics.
Palate	Layers of dark chocolate, cherries, balanced by toasty oak and silky tannin. Leaving the palate satisfied and fulfilled.
Food Pairings	Prosciutto wrapped haloumi stick, and slow cooked Indian style roast beef. Vegan friendly.
Awards	GOLD – Mundus Vini Spring Tasting 2021 BRONZE – Langton’s Clare Valley Wine Show 2020 4.5 STARS – Winestate Magazine (Clare Valley Tasting)



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