

ADELAIDE HILLS

Silver Label

Cabernet Tempranillo 2005

A striking example of a modern blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Tempranillo, synonymous with the Rioja and Navarra regions of Spain.

This Cabernet/Tempranillo exhibits a dark ruby/crimson hue with a mauve rim. Its elegant and integrated bouquet has an array of ripe black and red fruits with subtle nuances of tobacco leaf in the mix.

Its palate like its nose is highly complex. Cabernet contributes wonderful layers of blackberry and wild strawberry entwined with spicy plum and dark mulberry fruit. Tempranillo fleshes out the middle palate with subtle tannins and underlying toasty oak, incorporates these varieties into a stylish and expansively flavoured wine finishes with a long lingering finish.

This wine should be drunk over the next 5-8 years.



Winemaking

Variety: 64% Cabernet, 36% Tempranillo

Region: 100% Adelaide Hills

Harvest: 4th Week of April 2005

Winemaking: Fermented in small plunging tanks, then aged 12 months in oak

Alcohol: 14.8% alc/vol

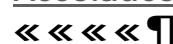
Total acidity: 6.6 g/L

pH: 3.51

Residual sugar: 0.4 mg/L

Total SO₂: 107 mg/L

Accolades



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