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TASTING NOTES

Shiraz 2015 'Camelback'

Details:	This Heathcote Shiraz displays lovely notes of violets and blackberries with earthy plums, red berries and spices. Subtle French oak is intertwined, as fine tannins give good length and balance to go with the intense dark Shiraz fruit characters.
Origin:	Heathcote, Victoria.
Blend:	Shiraz 98%, Viognier 2%
Viticulture:	Vines planted in 1999. Vines spur-pruned and vertical shoot positioned to ensure fruit exposure and even ripening. Low yielding to ensure richly flavoured grapes.
Vintage:	Spring was low in soil moisture levels hence low crops produced in our Heathcote vineyard. Summer started hot and dry with excellent conditions for flowering. Bunches were selected in the vineyard during picking.
Winemaking:	Most of the Shiraz came from our Block Two, the remainder from block 4 & 5 in our Camelback vineyard. The grapes were fermented in open and static fermenters, plunged/pumped over twice daily, pressed and matured in French oak for 10 months (15% new). After 11 months barrel maturation on lees, with some stirring of the solids, the wine was assemblaged, ready for bottling.
Bottled:	Mar 2016
Alcohol:	14.0%
Ageing Potential:	Enjoy now, or cellar carefully for 3-5 years