



Deakin Estate Pinot Noir - 2010

Grape Variety:

Pinot Noir

Region:

Murray Darling, Victoria (60%) and Coonawarra (40%)

Harvest Date:

Mid February in Murray-Darling, early March in Coonawarra.

Wine Specifications:

Alc/Vol: 13.0% **pH:** 3.53 **Acidity:** 5.6g/l **RS:** 3.1 g/L

Vinification:

The two separate batches underwent an extensive period of cold soaking and were then fermented to dryness in static fermenters with twice-daily pump-overs. Each wine spent extended time on skins before pressing, racking, MLF, maturation and final blending.

Winemaker's Comments: Phil Spillman

Colour:

Medium ruby red.

Nose:

Attractive cherry, strawberry and pomegranate fruit aromas with subtle French oak spice and a touch of earthy complexity.

Palate:

Medium body, supple and silky, with clear berry fruit flavours and a savoury, food-friendly finish.

Cellaring Potential:

Best enjoyed young.

Ideal Food Matches:

Roast beef with a red wine deglaze, or try a roast pork with horseradish.

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