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# DEAKIN ESTATE

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WINES OF AUSTRALIA



## Deakin Estate Shiraz - 2014

**Region:**

The fruit for this wine was harvested from our Deakin Estate vineyards in the Murray Darling region, North West Victoria.

**Harvest Date:**

Early March

**Wine Specifications:**

**Alc/Vol:** 13.5%      **pH:** 3.50      **Acidity:** 6.0g/l      **RS:** 4.5g/L

**Vinification:**

The 2014 Shiraz was fermented over the course of one week in sweeping arm Potter fermenters. After pressing off skins, malolactic fermentation and clarification took place before ageing on high quality French and American oak chips.

**Winemaker's Comments:****Colour:**

Deep, vibrant red.

**Nose:**

Rich berry fruits including blackberries and mulberries with alluring notes of malt, almond and mocha.

**Palate:**

Rich and juicy with ripe dark berry flavours and well-balanced oak. The palate shows good structure with medium tannins and a lingering finish.

**Cellaring Potential:**

Best enjoyed now but may be cellared for up to four years to enhance more chocolaty, aged notes.

**Ideal Food Matches:**

Baked lasagne, hearty beef and stout pie, roasted rack of lamb or an aged sirloin topped with a red wine jus.



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