



## TASTING NOTES

### 2024 Francis Road Shiraz

The fruit for this wine was handpicked from our estate plantings and is named after the vineyard address to emphasise the terroir. The excellent 2024 season produced slowly ripened fruit with vibrant colours, great varietal flavours and excellent acid retention. A dash of viognier has been added to enhance complexity. It is a lovely cool-climate shiraz, which will repay cellaring for seven years or more.

<b>Colour:</b>	Vibrant blackberry with crimson edges
<b>Bouquet:</b>	Blackberry and mulberry with a touch of black pepper, black olive, nutmeg, leather and spicy French oak
<b>Flavour:</b>	Blackberry and boysenberry with black olive, soya, a touch of charcuterie and spicy French oak
<b>Texture:</b>	Fine tannins with good acidity carrying through to a long, balanced finish
<b>Alcohol:</b>	13.5 %

