

OFFSHOOT RED BLEND



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This is the same Red Blend you loved (think J.M Red) but with a brand new look

TASTING NOTE

- Soil: deep hillside red/brown terra rossa of limestone parentage
- Oak: matured in French oak of various ages
- Colour: dark red with ruby highlights
- Nose: ripe raspberry, sweet mulberry fruits, soy and olive and hints of dried herbs, finishes with tar and spice
- Palate: a burst of generous fleshy red berry fruits are supported by supple tannins with fruit cake and five spice overtones. The wine finishes rich and round on the palate with lingering flavours of spice and tar.

STYLE

Offshoot Red Blend opens with floral notes of muscat and hints of spice trailed by a palate of red berry fruits and fine tannins, closing with fruitcake and five spice.

WINEMAKING

With four varieties being used for this wine, we had four different picking dates. But with all of these, they are late varieties. Once in the winery they were treated much the same - destemmed and crushed, chilled and then cold soaked in small one tonne lots and allowed to warm up and fermentation started. They were then hand plunged 3 times a day till fermentation was complete, pressed out to stainless and then moved to oak barrels as individual lots. Once mature the wines were blended making it ready to drink now.

TECHNICAL DATA

Alcohol: 12.7
pH: 3.46
T.A: 6.4
Tasting: 27/9/17

CELLARING

Drink now or over the next 5 years



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