



AUSTRALIA

2005 Hyland Shiraz

Region:

Coonawarra, Australia

Varieties:

Shiraz

Maturation:

New and used French and American oak

Technical Analysis:

14.5% alc./vol.

Background:

Winemaker Kym Tolley, with over 25 years of winemaking experience and a direct descendent of the famous Penfold wine family, founded the estate in 1988 in the heart of Coonawarra. The Hyland unicorn was chosen for the Shiraz label due to its beauty and strength. The Hyland symbolizes Penley Estate's determination, energy, and quiet persistence towards winemaking excellence.

Vintage/Tasting Notes:

After a wet winter, spring was cool to mild followed by a warm, dry summer. The 2005 Harvest saw plenty of sunshine and very little rain. These conditions produced intense flavors, aromatics, and colors.

The 2005 Hyland Shiraz expresses distinctive Coonawarra regionality and structure unique to the Penley Estate property. This elegant, full-bodied wine leads with aromas of ripe berry and spice followed by subtle smoky oak. Savory dark berry flavors with hints of black pepper are heightened by the velvety texture and finish.

Drink now or cellar up to five years for additional complexity.

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