

2011 d'ARENBERG THE HIGH TRELLIS

Review Summary



90 pts "Planted in the late 19th century and was the first to have a trellis above knee height. The standard modus operandi of d'Arenberg works well here, with soft tannins and integrated oak woven through the fresh cassis fruit flavors of the light-bodied palate."

James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion
2015

89 pts "Opaque ruby. Dark berries, cherry pit and pipe tobacco on the pungent nose, with a peppery element adding vivacity. Energetic blackberry and bitter cherry flavors show good clarity and a hint of licorice that builds with air. The tangy finish reveals repeating pepper and licorice notes, supple tannins and good length."

Josh Raynolds Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar July/August 2014

88+ pts "Deep garnet-purple in color, the 2011 High Trellis Cabernet Sauvignon gives notes of creme de cassis, cedar, toast and dark chocolate with a whiff of eucalyptus. Medium to full-bodied, the ample fruit is well-structured by medium to firm grainy tannins and vibrant acid. It finishes long and just a little herbal."

Lisa Perrotti-Brown Robert Parker's The Wine Advocate February 2014