

COCKATOO RIDGE



Cockatoo Ridge Wines
Why wouldn't you.

2008 Shiraz

COLOUR	Vibrant brick red in colour
BOUQUET	Mild, sweet berry fruit aromas with hints of mint and toasty oak.
PALATE	This wine shows solid structure while possessing elegance of character. Berry fruit flavours supported by well integrated oak complete this wine. The wine shows oak derived vanilla underpinned by firm tannin structure and spicy notes and leads to a smooth textured finish with length.
VARIETY	Shiraz
WINEMAKING	<p>The grapes were harvested from several premium dry land vineyards in South Australia including Coonawarra.</p> <p>The grapes were crushed and fermented on skins for 14 days before pressing and aged in small oak barrels. After storing in the cellars for 18 months the Shiraz was blended and lightly filtered, prior to bottling.</p>
SERVING SUGGESTIONS	Pan fried lamb loin chops with steamed fresh vegetables.
CELLARING	Will cellar well and mellow over the next five years.
TECHNICAL DETAILS	Alc/Vol: 14.5% TA: 6.5g/L pH: 3.46 Res. Sugar: 0.5g/L

