

Karatta Sparkling Shiraz-Cabernet NV



Tasting Notes:

Very tasty indeed, and a steal. Cherry, licorice & blackberry. Balanced tannin and sweet fruit spice.

Production Notes:

75% Shiraz 25% Cabernet

Estate grown on vines planted 1997-2003. Most of this is 2020 vintage, with about 40% from 2021. Varietals are fermented in tank, then blended and aged for 6-18 months in old barriques and hogsheads. Secondary fermentation in tank (charmat) for three weeks. 20.5 g/L RS.

Cellaring:

Drink now through 2023.

About Karatta:

Karatta Wines is located in the Robe region with an extensive portfolio of estate grown wines. They are committed to the production of ready to drink and age-worthy wines that authentically reflect the maritime climate: characterized by lithe, elegant reds and crisp, snappy whites which are typically less bombastic than wines from the warmer growing regions of South Australia.

About Robe:

- Gained GI status in 2006 and is part of the Limestone Coast wine zone.
- The region's cool climate wines are acclaimed for their distinctive character and premium quality.
- Vineyard development began to flourish in the Robe region in the mid to late 1990's.