

# Terra Barossa Shiraz-Cabernet-Petit Verdot

Thorn Clarke

Australia - South Australia - Barossa Valley

The color is a deep inky purple. The nose is a complex mixture of lifted berry fruit, pencil shavings/chocolate oak and ripe plums, with a floral lift from the Petit Verdot component. The palate is medium to full bodied. Due to the complexity of the blend, the palate starts with sweet plums and spice and then turns to blackcurrants and liquorice with dark chocolate interwoven throughout the mouth. Soft and sweet tannins then follow on with some great sweet fruit.

## Specifications

<b>Appellation</b>	Barossa Valley
<b>Varietals</b>	51% Shiraz, 33%, Cabernet Sauvignon, 16%, Petit Verdot (2016)
<b>Vinification</b>	The fruit was harvested at night when the fruit was deemed to be ripe by our winemakers. Warm fermentation was carried out in a mix of potter and open fermenter. Extended time on skins adds to the texture of the wine. The wine was matured in French oak for ten months prior to blending and bottling.
<b>Pairings</b>	Pairs well with sun-dried tomatoes and basil pesto ravioli.



## Reviews and News

2017 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 92 PTS - TASTINGS
2016 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 89 PTS - VINOUS
2016 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 88 PTS - WS
2015 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 90 PTS - VINOUS
2014 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 89 PTS - VINOUS
2013 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 89 PTS - VINOUS
2012 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 89 PTS - WA
2011 Thorn-Clarke Terra Barossa Shiraz Cabernet Petit Verdot - 87 PTS - WA