Magill Estate Shiraz
1994

This wine is from the historic Magill Estate Vineyard, located in the Adelaide foothills of South Australia. Magill Estate was the first vineyard established by Dr. Christopher Rawson Penfold in 1844. The vineyard is now 5.2 hectares in size and consists entirely of Shiraz vines, planted between 1951 and 1985. The vines are hand-pruned and the vineyard is also hand-harvested. Now in its twelfth vintage, Magill Estate has firmly established itself as one of Australia’s most important single-vineyard wines.

Winemaker comments by Phillip John

Dense, dark brick-red.

The bouquet displays a rich and complex assortment of fruit, spice and tobacco aromas with underlying peppery, gamey characters and beautifully melded cedar oak showing hints of vanillin.

Traditional and full bodied in style, this classic wine shows fruit intensity across the whole palate and a delicate balance of very fine, lingering tannins. It has fleshy, sweet berry fruit characters, reflective of the 1994 vintage, and features a rema