



Grange

1969

Considered a very successful wine from a difficult vintage, but not an outstanding Grange. Nevertheless it won five trophies, six gold, six silver and two bronze medals between 1969 and 1975. Bottles labelled Bin numbers 826 and 95.



VINEYARD REGION	Barossa Valley (including Kalimna Vineyard), Magill Estate (Adelaide), Clare Valley, Morphett Vale (Adelaide), Coonawarra.
VINTAGE CONDITIONS	A wet year with almost double the normal growing season rainfall. The vintage was mild and wet.
GRAPE VARIETY	Shiraz (95%), Cabernet Sauvignon (5%)
MATURATION	Eighteen months in new American oak hogsheads.
WINE ANALYSIS	Alc/Vol: 12.40% Acidity: 6.10g/L pH: 3.69
LAST TASTED	1999-09-01
PEAK DRINKING	Now
FOOD MATCHES	Mature cheddar cheese

Winemaker comments by Max Schubert

COLOUR

Medium brick red.

NOSE

Overdeveloped, nutty/leathery fruit with touches of game.

PALATE

Slightly bitter and fading, with developed, nutty, leather/briar fruit, drying tannins and moderate length.