



Koonunga Hill Shiraz Cabernet

1989

Now a world famous brand-name, Penfolds Koonunga Hill takes its name from the Koonunga Hill vineyard in the Barossa Valley, purchased by Penfolds in the mid 1970s. The first vintage was in 1976. Since that time Koonunga Hill has established a reputation world-wide as one of Australia's best value-for-money red wines. This recognition is understandable given the wine's remarkable consistency, quality and ageing potential. The wine is matured in American and French oak barrels which contributes a level of complexity not normally found in red wines in this price range.



VINEYARD REGION	South Australia
VINTAGE CONDITIONS	
GRAPE VARIETY	Shiraz, Cabernet Sauvignon
MATURATION	12 months maturation in older oak hogsheads
WINE ANALYSIS	Alc/Vol: % Acidity: g/L pH:
LAST TASTED	2008
PEAK DRINKING	Past - Now
FOOD MATCHES	Beef, lamb, aged cheddar cheese.

Winemaker comments by Penfolds Rewards of Patience, Edition VI

COLOUR
Brick red.

NOSE
Fresh redcurrant/black cherry/bitumen/dried herb aromas and flavours.

PALATE
The wine has volume, richness, fruit sweetness and fine, lacy, dry tannins, but acidity is beginning to poke through at the finish. It's still lovely to drink now but not one to keep.