



Bin 389 Cabernet Shiraz

1981

The Bin 389 style evolved as a result of experiments, by Max Schubert, in the 1950s to develop a highly individual wine using a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Shiraz with compatible oak treatment.

Bin 389 combines the elegance of Cabernet Sauvignon with the richness of Shiraz and demonstrates the traditional Penfolds' trademark - balance between fruit and oak, giving the wine character and longevity.



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

Winemaker comments by Penfolds Rewards of Patience, Edition VI

COLOUR

Brick red.

NOSE

Fresh, spicy/red berry/sappy/Moroccan leather aromas with some minty notes.

PALATE

The palate is well developed, richly flavoured and firmly structured with sweet dark chocolate/dark berry/mint/spicy/leather flavours and leafy firm tannins. Tough but flavourful.