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TURKEY FLAT VINEYARDS

TANUNDA — BAROSSA VALLEY

TASTING NOTES

- 2020 -

BUTCHERS BLOCK SHIRAZ

(100% Shiraz)

A modern, fresh and fruit driven wine, showcasing the lighter, brighter style of Shiraz. Designed for drinking young.

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VINTAGE 2020

The 2020 vintage will be one for the ages, with a backdrop of devastating bushfires and ongoing drought in Australia, and the emergence of a global pandemic. Fortunately, our little pocket of the Barossa was spared the destruction of fires and cool ripening conditions offset the impact of drought and earlier hot weather. Yields for 2020 were lowered due to windy conditions during pollination in the previous Spring. February and March were significantly milder in temperature than December and January, ensuring that fruit quality was optimal.

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A medium-bodied palate with juicy dark berry fruits, blueberries, violets, graphite and flint, held together with fine, supple tannins. Smooth & delicious. Drink now!

WINEMAKING

Source blocks were selected for spice and lift, representing a fresher and more layered version of 'Barossa Valley shiraz'. 15% whole bunch used to increase spice and structure, with 100% old oak allowing fruit to take the fore.

TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

Harvested: February-March 2020

Maturity at Harvest: 13.5° Baumé

Oak Treatment: 100% old French oak.

Whole Bunch: 15%

Bottled: June 2021

Cellar: Up to 10 years

MLF: Spontaneous in barrels

Alcohol: 14.1%

