



## JOHN DUVAL ANNEXUS GRENACHE 2013

- REGION:** Barossa
- VARIETIES:** Annexus Grenache was sourced from two very old low yielding Barossa Vineyards, both 100 years old plus.
- WINEMAKING:** Fermentation with small open top fermenters incorporating 20% whole bunches
- OAK MATURATION:** 100% barrel matured for 12 months in older French oak hogsheads (300 litre barrels)
- TECHNICAL NOTES:** Alcohol 14.5%  
pH 3.50  
TA 6.0g/l
- STYLE:** The inspiration from the Barossa's best old vine Grenache vineyards created Annexus, an addition to our Plexus blend. Annexus is a small unique blend selected from our best old low yielding Grenache vineyards, made only in the best years.
- VINTAGE:** The 2013 vintage story was all about the dry 2012 winter and spring leading into a warm to hot summer. In the Barossa this always means low yields and an early start to vintage.
- TASTING:**
- Colour:** Vibrant purple red.
- Nose:** Perfumed red fruit aromatics complexed with savoury spice and charcuterie notes.
- Palate:** Generous and rich and structured with texture and impressive flavour intensity. An array of red fruits, plum and raspberry fill the palate.

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