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2023 ANNEXUS GRENACHE

REVIEWS

95 points, Ryan Montgomery, James Suckling.com, November 2024

Lifted aromas of wild raspberries, graphite and licorice on the nose. The palate is medium-bodied with a lush mouthfeel and finely integrated tannins, giving notes of red currants, ruby grapefruit, tobacco leaves and pot-pourri. Tightly wound with a powerful undertone and an old-vine character, having been made from vines planted in 1858. Excellent.

95 points, Dave Brookes, Halliday Wine Companion 28 July 2025

Grenache from the renowned 1858-planted Stonegarden vineyard just out of Springton in the Eden Valley. Perfectly ripe satsuma plum fruits with hints of raspberry pip, ginger cake, cold tea, cola, spice rack, citrus blossom and earth. That gingery spice rolls through the pure red and dark fruit on the palate, which shows a lovely textural flow and toothsome gypsum-dust tannin grip, savoury and long with lovely sour cherry acidity on the fade.

95 points, Stuart Knox, The Real Review, January 2025

Full ruby red with purple tints into the rim. Blackberry, vanilla and chocolate aromatics. Full and powerful on the palate, raspberry and blackberry fruits exploding across the core but ferrous/bloody savouries bring a balance and tension to the flow. Tannins have the gravelly texture that the fruit weight required and it offers great length and drive. Will cellar very well, too.



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