

# Schwarz Nitschke Block Shiraz

Schwarz Wine Co.

Australia - South Australia - Barossa Valley

This Bethany vineyard was planted by Jason Schwarz's parents in 1968 and has been tended to by the hands of his family ever since. The vines are dry-grown and produce small crops of intensely flavored fruit.

A display of the purest blood-plum and black cherry, with cracked black peppercorn and streaky bacon over some seriously fine oak. Some subtle herbaceous qualities, nettle and thyme bring life to an otherwise immense nose. Very juicy on the palate, deeply flavorsome, long and with mouth-coating tannin for a very textured, very focused Barossa classic.

Specifications	
Appellation	Barossa Valley
Wine Type	Red
Varietals	100% Shiraz
Age of Vines	52 years
Certifications	
Soil type	Dark loam over brown clay.
Vinification	Handpicked and fermented on skins with wild yeast. 29% whole-bunch fermented. Foot stomped and basket pressed into new and seasoned French oak puncheons and hogshead barrels. A Vegan friendly wine with no fining or filtration.
Production	450 (9-liter cases)
Pairings	Slow cooked beef ribs, grilled meats, wild game and grilled vegetables.



Codes, Weights and Measures	
UPC	7 84585 02670 8
Units/Case	6
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
SCC	1 07 84585 02670 5
Case Weight	18
Cases/Pallet	96
Layers/Pallet	24
ABV	14.30%
SRP	\$ 70.99 USD 750mL Bottle

## Reviews and News

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