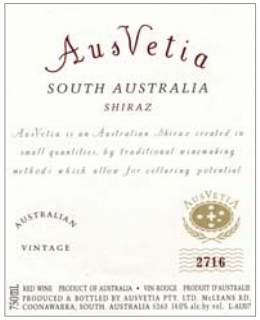
2002 AUSVETIA SHIRAZ

Region
McLaren Vale (71%)
Barossa Valley (28%)
Coonawarra (1%)



Varieties
100% Shiraz

Maturation
24 months in American oak

Technical Analysis
14.5% alc/vol, 7.0 g/L, 3.37 pH

Background

Kym Tolley produces some of Coonawarra's finest wines from his self-developed, 200-acre Penley Estate vineyard in the center of this famed region. Most winemakers would be thrilled to have achieved this much in their lifetime. Although a challenge to produce a trademark style that is not restricted to a particular region but is instead an amalgam of the ripest, richest fruit possible in a given year led Tolley to develop a separate brand, AusVetia.

Tasting Notes

The depth of color is dark. The aromas show intense blackberry fruit, pepper and spice. The palate is a big ripe sweet style of cedar and tobacco. Whilst a powerful style, shows a degree of softness and balance. Key element is the overwhelming fruity nature and the soft but strong oak tannin.

Additional Notes:

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