



2014 White Label Cabernet Sauvignon

blackcurrant | mulberry | tobacco | dark chocolate | long tannins

Vintage Notes

"Vintage 2014 was the most challenging in my 25 years in the Yarra Valley. The cool weather during flowering in Spring resulted in poor fruit set, therefore producing lower than expected yields from most vineyards across the Yarra Valley, some down by up to 60%. The resultant wines, however, support the popular belief that smaller yields produce exceptional wines. The ripening period was long and steady, ideal for acid retention and full flavour development." *Rob Dolan - Winemaker*

Wine Notes

Colour	dark crimson
Aroma	mocha, mulberry + black chocolate
Palate	dark berry, blackcurrant + savoury tannins
Cellar	up to 15 years

Viticulture

Region	Yarra Valley
Vineyard	Yering Park Vineyard, Yering
Harvest	late March 2014
Method	hand picked

Winemaking

Process	crushed + destemmed, fermented in open pots
Fermentation	cold soak for two days followed by inoculation, pump over twice daily until dry
Barrel	matured in French oak (30% new) for 16 months
Production	450 dozen
Alcohol	13.5%
Winemakers	Rob Dolan + Mark Nikolich

