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Small batch, single block expression of our Hilltops vineyard.



Crafted Hilltops Shiraz 2017

Varieties:	Shiraz
Region:	Hilltops NSW
Vintage & vine growing:	The long 2017 vintage really showed the diversity between our blocks of Shiraz (and even within them). In block 9 there was power and depth balanced by a plushness of fruit which highlights the varying styles of Shiraz grown in the vineyard.
Winemaking notes:	The fruit was cold soaked for 5 days before being inoculated in open fermenters. The wine was fermented gradually over 12 days then matured in French Puncheons and Hogsheads (25% new) for 12 months.
Awards:	91pts Wine Showcase Magazine
TASTING NOTES	
Colour:	Bright ruby red
Nose:	Intensely fragrant and sweetly scented with Szechwan pepper, five spice, floral and perfume notes.
Palate:	Medium bodied, juicy and generous with flavours of blueberries, raspberries, mixed spice and cedar. A fine balance of power and restraint.
Alcohol:	14%

