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CLARE VALLEY

The Lodge Hill Shiraz vineyard, on the Clare Valley's eastern ranges, has soils of rich, chocolatey loam over almost vertical sheets of rock. The cracks between the rock have filled with soil, providing passage for the vine roots and free drainage - the ideal environment for low-yielding Shiraz vines.

Wine has been flowing in the Clare Valley since 1851 and is an integral part of the culture. It is one of Australia's most prestigious premium wine regions, most famous for its Riesling and Shiraz. A small area, accounting for less than 1.5% of Australia's total wine production.

With its beautiful, rolling hills, ideal winter rainfall and Mediterranean climate, the Clare Valley carries a unique history and winemaking heritage.

2022 LODGE HILL SHIRAZ

Winemaking Notes

Spiced blue and black fruits leading the nose, intertwined with high class oak. The wine is youthful and vibrant with hints of black pepper, black plum, and a spicy lift.

On entry, the palate is all blue and black fruits with integrated oak, then moves into a bunch like spice, married with violets and black pepper, finishing back in the blue compote spectrum. A layered and detailed for those on the lookout. Delicious!

Vintage Information

Variety:	100% Shiraz
Vintage:	2022
Region:	Clare Valley, South Australia
Estate grown:	100%
First release:	Vintage 2001
Analysis:	Alc/vol 14.0% Total Acid 6.65g/L pH 3.3
Oak Regime:	12 Months in French Oak
Drink by:	2031
Serve at:	16-18°C
Winemakers:	Tom Barry & Ben Marx

