

# Torbreck Runrig Shiraz 12 (1x750ml) 2012



<b>Category:</b>	WINE
<b>Style:</b>	RED WINE
<b>Variety:</b>	SHIRAZ
<b>Region:</b>	BAROSSA
<b>Vintage:</b>	2012
<b>Volume:</b>	750ml
<b>Vineyard:</b>	The RunRig has often drawn comparison with the fragrant tautly structured wines produced in the Rhne Valleys Appellation of Cte Rtie. 2012 will undoubtedly go down as one of the great vintages the Barossa Valley has ever experienced. The Vintage is dirt driven in that there was no serious weather event that pulled the flavor profiles of the wines either way. The cool weather conditions and resulting slow ripening period allowed us to pick each vineyard at simply perfect aromatic ripeness
<b>Vinification:</b>	Each of the six parcels of fruit were gently de-stemmed into both wooden concrete open top fermenters where they were carefully nurtured for 6-7 days on skins. After basket pressing the wine was run directly into both new (50%) and 2nd and 3rd fill French barriques to complete natural malo. The wine was then racked after six months, but left on fine lees throughout maturation to enhance texture. After 30 months the Shiraz components were blended into tank and a bench trial was conducted to det
<b>Bouquet:</b>	These lifted aromatics are released as soon as the wine is opened with layers of raspberries, apricots and crme de cassis cloaking subtle hints of black olive and cherry.
<b>Palate:</b>	A dark, rich and silky palate with deep red cherry fruits, clove, lavender licorice all interwoven with hints of sweet spice and cinnamon. The layers and diverse fruit characters continue to evolve in the glass with plum, hints of almond, earth, blackberry and pepper all becoming more apparent as the wine evolves in the glass. A complete assemblage with highly expressive fruit, fragrant aromatics, imposing length and impeccable balance.
<b>Cellaring:</b>	The 2012 RunRig will
<b>Food Match:</b>	MEAT/GAME

## Technical Analysis:

<b>Alcohol:</b>	15.50%	<b>pH:</b>	3.74
<b>Packaging:</b>	1 x 750ml	<b>Titrateable Acidity:</b>	6.51 g/l