



# RIDDOCH

## COONAWARRA

### Riddoch 2022 The Winegrower Shiraz

The Vocation Series pays tribute to John Riddoch's multifaceted capabilities and the many vocations he had in his lifetime, reflected by the ultimate expression of Coonawarra's varietal diversity. Linking single vineyard wines and interesting wine-making techniques with the personality evoked by Riddoch's various professions.

John Riddoch's first vintage of Coonawarra Claret (1890) was a Shiraz-dominant wine. As the region's first winegrower he envisaged that Coonawarra would become one of Australia's finest wine regions. The Winegrower Shiraz pays homage to this history as a flagship varietal from Coonawarra.

#### Winemakers

Matthew Reimann

#### Vintage

2022

#### Region

Coonawarra

#### Colour

Deep red colour.

#### Nose

Lifted blackberry and boysenberry, hints of cedar & coffee.

#### Palate

Black and blueberry flavors on the palate, gentle well integrated oak carry these flavors to a long lasting finish.

#### Tasting Profile

Full bodied, balance oak, elegant.

#### Food Match

Roast Lamb rack.

#### Vineyard Details

This is a blend of Shiraz from three different vineyards located on premium Coonawarra terra rossa soils: 55% from the eastern edge of Coonawarra, 35% from the northeastern edge of Coonawarra (responsible for the 2021 Vocation Shiraz), with a small inclusion of 10% from the central Coonawarra strip, near the Riddoch Highway..

#### Winemaking Notes

Fermented in small stainless steel tanks for 7 days, these blends are sourced from select barrels from our top-end Coonawarra growers of the vintage.

#### Oak Maturation

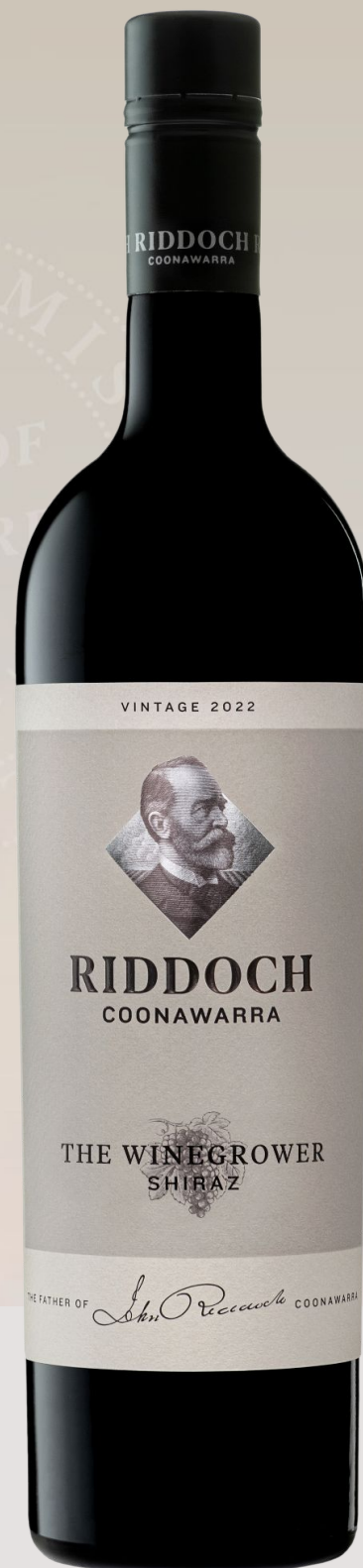
New and used French oak from premium barrel suppliers, 12 months barrel maturation.

#### Cellaring Notes

5-8 Years

#### Technical Details

15% Alc



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