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## 2005 Reserve Shiraz

### Region

Mudgee, NSW

### Winery Address

Pipeclay Lane,  
Mudgee NSW 2850

### Variety

100% Shiraz



**Vintage Conditions:** 2005 was in the middle of the Mudgee drought spell, with vineyard yields being extremely low. All reds show big concentration of fruit because of lack of water.

**Winemaking:** This Shiraz was harvested from our block B-C vineyard which is on deep clay loam soils at 520m above sea level. It was fermented in small open fermenters and gently hand plunged several times daily. Maturation was in 40% new French and American Hogsheads for 18 months.

**Tasting Notes:** Intense Ruby Red hues, leading to enticing aromas of Star anise, clove, cinnamon and black cherry. The palate opens up to a spicy mix of blackcurrants, vanilla and dark chocolate. The finish is long, well balanced and will match well with many foods.

### Analysis:

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| • Alcohol            | 13.5%   |
| • Residual Sugar     | 0.2 g/L |
| • Titratable acidity | 5.5     |