



**PETER LEHMANN**

*Barossa*

FAITHFUL TO TASTE, NOT CONVENTION SINCE 1979.

## 2014 PORTRAIT BAROSSA CABERNET

The Portrait wines embody the original promise Peter Lehmann made to the grape growers to make wines that show what the Barossa is all about. With a “family” of more than 140 growers across the length and breadth of the Barossa, Peter Lehmann has created a portrait of the region with the top four varietals that have made it famous.

Peter Lehmann Portrait Cabernet Sauvignon is sourced from all corners of the Barossa Valley, taking full advantage of the variety’s multiple characteristics.

Vineyards from the north, which are higher and enjoy cooling gully winds, capture the perfumed varietal character, while the southern vineyards are richer, and create the backbone of this complex and rewarding wine. This wine is beautifully structured and well noted for its longevity, rewarding handsomely with 5-10 years of cellar time.



Ian Hongell, Chief Winemaker

### Winemaker’s note

The 2014 Portrait Cabernet is deeply coloured and shows black forest fruits leading to a richly structured palate with firm but soft tannins. While drinking beautifully now it is a wine that can be cellared with confidence for a further 5-10 years if desired during which time it will soften and become more complex.

### Vintage

The 2014 vintage started in very hot weather but was interrupted by two days of heavy rain in mid February after which the weather settled down and we experienced wonderful Indian summer conditions for the remainder of the vintage. This allowed the grapes to ripen slowly and evenly, producing wines of exceptional quality.

### Vineyards

Made from a diverse range of Cabernet Sauvignon vineyards scattered throughout the different sub-regions of the Barossa Valley.

### Winemaking

Fruit was fermented on skins for seven days. Following pressing, clarification and blending, the wine was matured in French and American oak hogsheads for 12 months prior to bottling.

### Enjoy

This is a superb accompaniment to beef, rich game dishes or a good Cheddar.

### Analysis

Alc/vol 14.0% T.A 6.2g/L pH 3.61 RS 2.9g/L



5 STAR WINERY RATING James Halliday, Australian Wine Companion  
International Winemaker of the Year 2003 & 2006, Australian Producer of the Year  
2003, 2006 & 2008 - International Wine & Spirit Competition.

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