

St. John's Road
BAROSSA
LSD

Lagrein Shiraz Durif 2015

LSD represents the intriguing blend of Lagrein, Shiraz and Durif which makes a brightly coloured and intensely fruit-flavoured red wine.

Winemaking

Our LSD blend is made up of 37% Lagrein from Mount Crawford on the cusp of the Barossa ranges, 35% Shiraz from the 'BIL' and 'Chook Shed' blocks of our SJR Resurrection Vineyard in Ebenezer and 28% Durif from the Hoffmann family vineyard in Bethany.

Following harvest, in February and March, the grapes were all fermented separately, spending between 7–12 days on skins, before being pressed to a combination of French oak Hogsheads and Barriques for 20 months maturation.

The resulting wine has an intense colour profile and freshness from the Lagrein grapes, Shiraz contributes dark plums, a beautiful fragrance and mid-palate structure, while Durif brings fleshy dark fruit notes and fine savoury tannins.

Tasting Notes

Colour: Vibrant and robust deep purple-red

Aroma: Dark plums and inviting milk chocolate

Palate: A mouth full of flavour! Generosity is the word here, with delicious brambly dark fruits, a velvety texture and silky, savoury tannins

Food Match: Possibly the best pizza wine on earth.

Cellaring: 5-10 years if you feel so inclined, through ready to enjoy immediately!

Analysis

Alcohol:	14.5%	TA:	6.16g/l
RS:	0.5g/l	pH:	3.57



Winemaker – Phil Lehmann