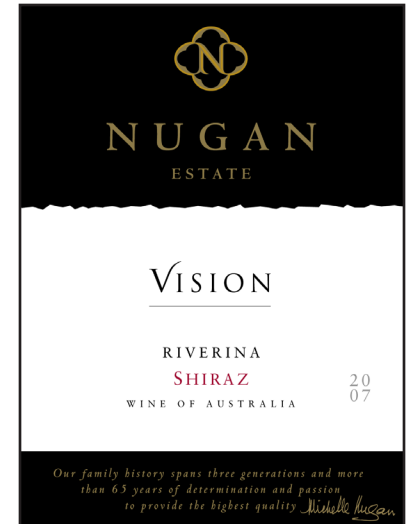




Nugan Estate “Vision” Shiraz 2007

Wine Maker: Darren Owers
Appellation: Riverina
Varietal: Shiraz
Yields per acre: 6 t/acre
Cases Produced: 10,000
Filtration and fining: Fine earth filtered
Wood treatment: New & Seasoned French and American Oak
Length of barrel maturation: 14 Months

Alcohol %: 14%
Total Acid: 7.6
Free/Total Sulfur: 30/75
pH: 3.42
Residual Sugar: 5.95



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Viticultural Practices: The fruit was harvested at optimum ripeness in the cool of the night to preserve delicate fruit flavour and inhibit wild yeast fermentation. After crushing / destemming and inoculation with a pure yeast culture, fermentation took place in static fermenters with American oak. Thereafter, the wine underwent maturation for 14 months in new and seasoned American and French Oak before final blending and bottling.

Wine Makers Notes: Deep crimson with a youthful purple hue. Complex aromas of ripe berry, earth and spice. On the palate, a full-bodied red wine with elegant tannins and powerful fruit concentration. A well-structured palate of dark cherry and blackberry, layered with earthy overtones and well integrated oak.

Food Accompaniments: Hearty red meat dishes such as beef bordelaise or osso buco.

Scores: 89 pts Wine Spectator Magazine (HS) - Ripe and generous, this plump Shiraz offers dark berry, plum and licorice flavors in abundance, finishing ripe and ready.

88 pts Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar (JR) - Vivid ruby. Dark berries and plum on the nose, with a subtle mineral quality adding lift. Sappy black fruit flavors offer good palate coverage, with dusty tannins contributing grip. Picks up smoky oak spices on the sweet, lingering finish.
