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Selection Estate Series Crushendo takes winemaking excellence to another level by combining all the fine attributes of Estate Series and offering the winemaker the opportunity to add crushed grapeskins contained in a grape pack called **"Crushendo"**.

Estate Series **Crushendo** SOUTH AUSTRALIAN SINGLE VINEYARD SHIRAZ

Appellation: Conundrum Vineyards Murray River District, South Australia

Style: Conundrum Vineyards is on the Murray River, which meanders for thousands of kilometers through sun-drenched plains and sloping hillsides of South Australia. Beautiful Gobelet-trained Shiraz vines bask in the warm days (tempered by the cool nights of the river valley) making perfectly balanced, intensely rich grapes.

Winexpert **South Australian Crushendo Shiraz** is a bold wine, deep ruby purple in colour with a deep, dark plum and blackberry showing subtle accents of chocolate. Rich, lush and complex, the soft black fruit combines with a hint of black pepper spiciness that follows through with a firm, tannic finish with toasty vanilla and a hint of spice.

Winexpert's Crushendo[™] grape pack complements this amazing palette of flavours with fresh grape tannin and character, and the special RC 212 yeast enhances the already spectacular fruit.

Harvest Conditions: Brix 21.5, pH 3.50, TA 5.5 g/l

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Food Pairings: Steak, rich stews, pizza, or try it with bittersweet chocolate!

Sweetness Code: 0 (Dry)

Alcohol by Volume: 13.0—13.5%

Oak: 60 grams French Oak, 60 grams Toasted Oak

Ageing: While Crushendo wines are tempting to drink right out of the carboy, the gripping tannins will open up and blossom into an elegantly powerful wine with layers of dense fruit and spiciness after proper cellaring. Extended ageing (up to 3 years) will bring great rewards to the patient!




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