



# Old Plains

WINE CO & VINEYARDS

## VINTAGE INFORMATION

Name Of Winery	Old Plains
Wine	Power of One Shiraz
Vintage	2010
Region of Fruit Source	Adelaide Plains
Specific Vineyard	Noto, Gallarello, Manno
Soil	Red Clay over Limestone, Sandy Alluvium
Trellis System	T – trellis & single wire
Varietal Blend	100% Shiraz
Winemaker(s)	Domenic Torzi / Tim Freeland
Alc/vol	14.1 %
pH	3.61
TA	6.51g/L
Age of Vines	50+ years
Yield per acre	2 tonnes per acre
Total Production	207 dozen

### Treatment

Small batch open top ferment, soft pump overs and minimal plunging, basket pressed with ferment finishing off in barrel. Matured for 24 months in French oak barriques, with 25% new wood component, bottled unfiltered.

### General Vintage Comments

Vintage commenced February 13, bringing a return to normal conditions after the previous three years of drought. Vines responded accordingly, good even canopies and bunch sizes brought an increase in fruit yields and an overall increase in quality. There was no incidence of disease. Timing was perfect, the old vine shiraz came off first, followed by foothills shiraz & cabernet sauvignon, finally old vine grenache. All vineyards thrived throughout the summer, the absence of extreme heat wave conditions a tremendous boost. 2010 certainly looks the goods.

### Tasting Notes

One of the best of its releases. Exhibits heady aromatics of sweet baking spices, earth and dark chocolate coated berries. Flavours continue to the palate with smoked cured meats, ripe raspberries and licorice. Finishing long, juicy with ripe fine tannins, cellar potential 10 plus years

