

# SERAFINO

Serafino black label wines are selected from our premium estate vineyard's in McLaren Vale. McLaren Vale has a diverse mix of soil types and vineyard orientation that enhance the complexity of Serafino Wines. Distinctive varietal and regional characters are captured in all the premium black label wines and we hope you will enjoy these wines as much as we do!



## SERAFINO BDX

**VINTAGE**  
2013

**REGION**  
McLaren Vale

**GRAPE VARIETY**  
Cabernet Sauvignon ( 72%), Merlot ( 15%), Carmenere ( 7%), Cabernet Franc ( 6%),

**COLOUR**  
Ruby red

**BOUQUET**  
One of the most perfumed wines from the Serafino Wines stable, with aromatics of ripe berries, espresso bean and spice.

**PALATE**  
The stunning 2013 vintage has produced a wine with beautiful balance delivering bright red berries, black olive, chocolate-covered cherry and cedar. The combination of the four varieties melds velvety tannins to complete a wine of elegance and seduction. Fleshy and forward, the acidity is mouthwatering suggesting the wine will only get better over the next decade.

**CELLARING POTENTIAL**  
Enjoy now or cellar up to 12 years in the right conditions.

**FOODMATCH**  
Lamb cutlets.

**VINEYARDS**  
This wine is made from fruit sourced from our premium McLaren Vale estate vineyards on Little Road, Malpas Road and Ingleburn blocks.

**OAK TREATMENT**  
75% French oak (20% new) and 25% Seasoned American oak.

**TECHNICAL DETAILS**  
pH 3.55 TA 6.3g/L ALC 14%

**WINEMAKER NOTES**  
The fruit was destemmed, but not crushed, into small open fermenters and allowed to spend 12 days on skins in order to optimize colour and tannin extraction. Post primary fermentation, the ferments were gently pressed and allowed to undergo malolactic fermentation in a combination of French and American oak. At completion of the secondary ferment, the barrels were racked and returned in order to clarify and allow ideal maturation conditions.

**WINEMAKER**  
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