

**2004 SWIFT FAMILY HERITAGE
CABERNET SAUVIGNON SHIRAZ**



Top 40 Wines
NSW Wine Awards 2007

94 Points
James Halliday
Australian Wine Companion - 2008 Edition

The Swift Family Heritage wines are made from small parcels of hand selected grapes sourced exclusively from our estate vineyards. This fruit is then vinified with meticulous care and attention. The resulting wines are of the highest quality and show the finest expression of the grape varietals. Each vintage produces limited quantities with exceptional flavor and balance that we believe will continue to improve with extra maturation.

Winemaking Notes

Blending is an art with challenges on many fronts. Avoiding the dominance of one variety over the other is the focus; while other balances are achieved through the use of different oak, acidity adjustment and tannin restructuring. The wine is an example of a successful combination of the above.

VARIETY	70% Cabernet Sauvignon 30% Shiraz
REGION	Orange NSW (Cool Climate)
COLOUR	Dark ruby red
BOUQUET	Bright red and black fruit with a hint of spice and cedar
PALATE	Elegant and supple, the blend easily hides the join between the two varieties. It's mix of savory, cranberry and plum flavors meld with ripe fine tannins
DRINKING	Now until 2019
WINEMAKER	Robert Black
ALCOHOL	13.7% Alcohol by Volume
ADDITIVES	Preservative (220) Egg white
PRICE	\$32.00 per bottle \$190.00 per case*

