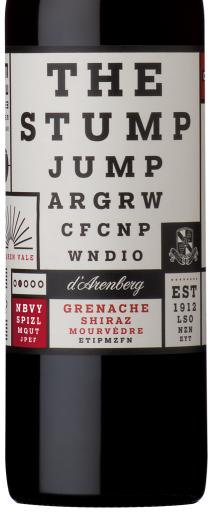
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## THE STUMP JUMP

### Grenache (64%) Shiraz (18%) Mourvedre (18%) Mclaren Vale 2015

#### <u>Name</u>

It is rumoured that the inventor of the Stump Jump plough, which enabled a ploughshare to jump over tree roots, had poor eyesight and required regular tests to ensure he could still operate machinery. The design of this label is inspired by an optometrist's eyechart and serves as a makeshift sobriety test. If you can hold the bottle at arm's length and still read the front label, you can enjoy another glass.

#### The Winemaking

The grapes used in this wine are mostly from very old bush vines, and underwent gentle crushing, traditional open tank fermentation, basket pressing and oak maturation prior to bottling.

#### The Vintage

A wet winter ensured good sub soil moisture and set up the vines well with healthy canopies. Spring was very dry with above average temperatures, a heavy downpour in January was a welcome relief. Mild conditions during the ripening period produced wines that show an abundance of spicy fruits with great colour, richness and balanced tannins. Vintage started on 30 January, the earliest start on record by one day.

#### **The Wine**

This is a medium bodied wine, full of red fruits and spice. The palate is well balanced with flavours of red currant, strawberry and plum. White pepper and five-spice are apparent on the finish, supported by soft tannins and lively acidity.

Chief Winemaker	Chester Osborn	Senior Winemaker	Jack Walton
Residual sugar	1.1 g/L	Titratable acid	6.5
pH	3.46	Alcohol	14.4%%

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