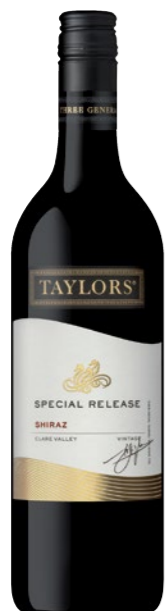


# category winners

## THE STATS that count

NUMBER TASTED: **431**  
 NUMBER AWARDED: **294**  
 % awarded: **68**  
 NUMBER OF FIVE STARS  
 (Gold Award): **50**  
 % awarded: **11.6**  
 NUMBER OF FOUR  
 & HALF STARS  
 (High Silver Award): **60**  
 % awarded: **13.92**  
 NUMBER OF FOUR STARS  
 (Silver Award): **66**  
 % awarded: **15.31**  
 NUMBER OF THREE  
 & HALF STARS  
 (High Bronze Award): **41**  
 % awarded: **9.51**  
 NUMBER OF THREE  
 STARS (Bronze Award): **74**  
 % awarded: **17.16**



**Under \$15**  
 Taylors  
 Special Release  
 Clare Valley Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$14.99



**\$15-\$20**  
 St Amand  
 Barossa Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★1/2 \$18



**\$20-\$25**  
 Patriitti Merchant  
 McLaren Vale  
 Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$24.99



**\$25-\$30**  
 Peter Lehmann Wines  
 The Barossan Barossa  
 Valley Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$25



**\$25-\$30**  
**SHIRAZ BLEND WINNER**  
 Annie's Lane Quelltaler  
 Clare Valley Shiraz  
 Cabernet Sauvignon 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$27.99



**\$30-\$35**  
 Gumpara Victor's Old  
 Vine Barossa Valley  
 Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$32



**\$35-\$40**  
 Fox Creek Short Row  
 McLaren Vale  
 Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$38



**\$40-\$45**  
 Sanguine Estate  
 Estate Heathcote 2014  
 ★★★★★ \$40



**\$45-\$50**  
 Domaine Asmara  
 Reserve Heathcote 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$49



**\$50-\$60**  
 Tenafeate Creek Wines  
 Museum Release One  
 Tree Hill Shiraz 2010  
 ★★★★★ \$55



**\$60-\$70**  
 Z Wine Julius Single  
 Vineyard Barossa Valley  
 Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$60



**\$70-\$80**  
 Mollydooker Carnival  
 of Love McLaren Vale  
 Shiraz 2016  
 ★★★★★ \$75



**\$80-\$100**  
 Saltram Single Vineyard  
 Marble Quarry Road  
 Barossa Shiraz 2012  
 ★★★★★ \$99



**\$100-\$200**  
 Reillys RCV Epitaph  
 Clare Valley Shiraz 2014  
 ★★★★★ \$100



**\$200+**  
 Penfolds Grange  
 SA Shiraz 2013  
 ★★★★★ \$1,140

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**FINAL TOP 10**

The Top Ten Shiraz as selected by highest judges scores are:

1. Penfolds Grange SA Shiraz 2013 \$1,140
2. Gumpara Hexen Barossa Valley Shiraz 2014 \$240
3. Z Wine Julius Single Vineyard Barossa Valley Shiraz 2016 \$60
4. Reillys RCV Epitaph Clare Valley Shiraz 2014 \$100
5. Tenafeate Creek Wines Museum Release One Tree Hill Shiraz 2010 \$55
6. Gumpara Victor's Old Vine Barossa Valley Shiraz 2016 \$32
7. Patriitti Merchant McLaren Vale Shiraz 2016 \$24.99
8. 1847 Wines First Pick Barossa Valley Shiraz 2016 \$380
9. Fox Creek Short Row McLaren Vale Shiraz 2016 \$38
10. Domaine Asmara Reserve Heathcote 2016 \$49

**TOP FRENCH WINE**

1. E. Guigal La Turque Cote Rotie Hermitage 2013 \$1,340
2. M. Chapoutier L'Ermite Hermitage 2014 \$840
3. Paul Jaboulet Aine La Chapelle Hermitage 2013 \$660

**TOP NEW ZEALAND WINE**

1. Vidal Legacy Hawkes Bay Syrah 2014 \$79.99
2. Villa Maria Reserve Gimblett Gravels Hawkes Bay Syrah 2016 \$49.99
3. Esk Valley Winemakers Reserve Gimblett Gravels Hawkes Bay Syrah 2016 \$59.99

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