



MICHALAKIS ESTATE

## Michalakis Estate KYROS



**Varietal Composition:** Syrah

**Style:** Dry Red

**Geographical Indication:** Protected Geographical Indication, Heraklion

**Harvest:** 2012

**Region:** Partheni, Heraklion, Crete

**Vineyard:** Mountain vineyards of the Estate at an altitude of 600 meters

**Soil:** Clay-loam

**Harvest dates:** Hand harvest, end of August.

**Alcoholic Title:** 14% by Vol.

**Vinification:** Cold maceration for 3 days followed by classic long-lasting red vinification and maturation for 18 months in oak barrels. Bottle aging for two years. It may be aged for 10 additional years.

**Organoleptic Characteristics:** Rich red colour with ruby highlights.

Intensely fruity nose with aromas of wild cherry, myrtle and black cherry. Barrel notes with a little smoke and minerality, the old barrel uncovers.

In the mouth a little dry but rich, dynamic with mild tannins with notes of barrel in the aftertaste.

**Harmony of Flavors:** Hunting, grilled meats, ripe cheeses.

**Served at:** 16-18°C