

SEMILLON PROJECT

Semillon ~ Classic



About

Marcus Schulz grows one of the very last remaining 'Madeira' clone Semillon vineyards in the famed Ebenezer region of the Northern Barossa. The clone exhibits a unique pink hue in its skin when fully ripe not seen in other clones of Semillon. It has been a very important variant throughout the history of Barossan viticulture and winemaking.

Teaming up with Christa Deans who has worked with these grapes for decades we implemented a few alternative fermentation techniques to do something a bit different and see what differences we might see. The grapes were picked at optimum ripeness and delivered as one load before Christa separated them into their individual ferments.

Tasting Note

The first juice to come out of the press we call 'free-run' juice. This is the finest and softest tasting juice and so we fermented it in a Stainless-Steel Tank at a very cool temperature. Once finished, the resulting wine was settled, racked, filtered and bottled early to capture the freshness of the fruit.

Region/Sub Region: 100% Barossa Valley/Ebenezer

Grape Variety: 100% Semillon

Alcohol: 11.0%

Production: 400 bottles

Cellaring: 5 years plus

Winemaker : Christa Dean

RRP: \$25



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