

Hayes Family Wines is a small-scale, family owned and run wine producer located in Stone Well in the heart of the Barossa Valley. Our multi generation vineyards have an enviable track record of producing some of the region's finest wines. Our Estate Vineyards and Winery are Certified Organic and Certified Sustainable. Our wines are made with thought, using organic, sustainable and traditional low-intervention practices, whilst embracing innovation. We have an uncompromising focus on producing the best wines possible; wines that display fruit purity, balance and ageability.

2022 FROMM VINEYARD GRENACHE

GROWING SEASON



The 2022 Barossa Valley vintage will be remembered as the second almost faultless season in a row after an equally impressive although different 2021 vintage. Both Vintages were cool, the coolest since 2002. Good spring rains meant that we entered the growing season with good soil moisture levels. A warm dry growing season followed, with balanced and healthy canopies producing an average crop of extremely high quality fruit.

A pigeon pair, perhaps the best two since 1990/1991 if not longer. The good news is that flavours and colours (in reds) and the vibrancy and lift in the whites are incredible. Overall quality is exceptional. Another extremely good Barossa vintage in the making.

TASTING NOTE

The 2022 Fromm Grenache was sourced from the very old Fromm Family Vineyard in Williamstown, in the southern Barossa Valley. 100 % Old vine Grenache from the distinctly cool 2022 vintage. Farmed by the Fromm's for over 100 years, it is an isolated block that produces special grapes. Hand picked, the fruit was de-stemmed before being transferred to our small fermenters. Once dry, the wine was transferred into a seasoned French oak puncheons for maturation prior to being bottled in December 2022. This wine carries tremendous balance, bright red fruits, medium bodied, all the hallmarks of the Southern Barossa in a wonderful vintage. Drink now or for 10 years or more

SPECIFICATIONS

Region: Barossa Valley District: Williamstown Variety: Grenache Alcohol: 14.5% Production: 1350 bottles Cellaring: Drink now to 10 years Winemaker: Andrew Seppelt

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