



2022, Papillon

Barossa Valley

TASTING NOTES:

Pretty and aromatic - bright red currant, raspberry, red rose petal and dried spice perfume. Light, fresh palate - spiced red cherry and tart red plums fruit flavours lead dried spice and delicate dried herb and spice notes on a finish kept nervy and fresh with plum, m skin like acids and fine, light tannin.

VINTAGE SUMMARY:

The 2022 growing season was mild and long with no protracted heat spikes or heavy rain events- it certainly felt cooler than what we perceive as 'historically average' and the numbers backed that up. Reasonable winter and spring rains delivered good subsoil moisture levels and frost and hail events that marked the last few seasons were absent. Signatures of the '22 vintage in the Barossa and Eden Valley's are its aromatic freshness, purity and clarity of fruit, typically modest palate weights, fresh and lithe tannin structures -all in all a delightful year - and particularly suited to medium and lighter bodied aromatic reds, such as Papillon.

Varietal/s:
Release Date:

Cinsault: 87%, Grenache: 13%
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