



VINTAGE INFORMATION REGION: Hunter Valley, NSW

**ALCOHOL: 12.22%** 

PH: 3.32

ACIDITY: 6.2g/L

RESIDUAL SUGAR: 4.3 g/L

# CELLAR SELECT

## **VERDELHO 2021**

A range of wines that are exclusive to the Cellar Door in the Hunter Valley.

### VINTAGE CONDITIONS

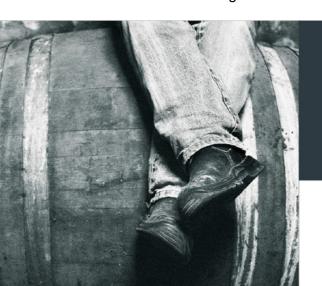
The 2021 growing season in the Hunter Valley was noted for being unseasonably cool with persistent rain. Conditions remained like this until near harvest time where fortunately conditions dried put. The cool conditions resulted in fine tannins and full flavours. The cool growing conditions pushed back a week such that the Verdelho grapes were harvested on the 21st January.

### WINEMAKING

The Verdelho grapes for this wine were sourced from the Hunter Ridge Vineyard on Hermitage Road. These Grapes were picked on the early side of the ripeness ledger with the intent of making a refreshing Vino Verde style that is ideal for the Australian summer. Verdelho is a grape variety predominantly grown in the dry conditions of Portugal. It is a variety ideally suited to the Hunter Valley with a natural resistance to disease and consistent yields.

### TASTING NOTES

Pale straw in colour, our Cellar Select Verdelho displays a lifted floral aroma reminiscent of quince and honey suckle. A medium bodied wine with full flavour, soft acidity and tactile. Creamy mouth feel with dry finish.





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