

2009 MadFish Premium White

Varieties

100% Chardonnay

Region

100% South Western
Australia



Technical Notes

The beginning of the season was cool with a late start to the spring. The summer months were dry and warm with no hot spells. As a result, the fruit ripened evenly delivering clean fruit with balanced flavours and acidity.

The fruit for our MadFish White is sourced primarily from the Great Southern, Geographe, Pemberton and Margaret River regions in the South West of Western Australia. These regions give different flavour profiles that contribute well to the final blend.

Geographe tends to give riper fruit characters of melon and white peach. Margaret River delivers fruit with stone fruit, grapefruit and pear characteristics, while the Great Southern contributes more citrus flavours such as lemon and lime.

All ferments are carried out in stainless steel tanks with a cool, controlled fermentation at 12-14C to promote the natural fruit flavour and aromatics.

Tasting Notes

The wine is bright with a pale straw appearance with green tints. The nose displays a wonderful aromatic drive bursting with fruity esters. It is further complimented by the combination of the riper white peach and melon aromas with the finer citrus characters. The palate is generous and cleansing with melon and citrus fruit flavours leading to a fine mid palate and a finish which is clean and long with a crisp acidity.

Cellaring

This wine can be enjoyed immediately or cellared to develop some more richness for two years.



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