



SEPPELTSFIELD

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Seppeltsfield 2022 Grenache Rosé

Winemaker: Fiona Donald

Grape(s): Grenache

GI: Barossa

Site(s): Great Terraced Vineyard and other sites on the Western Ridge of the Barossa Valley

Vintage notes: A wet winter led to a surprisingly dry summer, relieved by a large rain event at the end of February. Grapes went into harvest with adequate moisture and under average temperature: a perfect combination for a fresh, vibrant style of rosé.

Vineyard notes: The Great Terraced vineyard lies on the western boundary of the Seppeltsfield estate and is planted in contoured rows at 220-280 meters above sea level. The majority of the vineyard is gnarly, thick-trunked, bush-vine Grenache. For this wine, a selection is made of blocks and rows on the mid and lower levels of the vineyard, which are less exposed and moderated by cooling gully breezes, with red brown soils of slate, quartz, and ironstone.

Winemaking: Vineyard is hand-pruned and hand-picked. The Grenache grapes were chilled then immediately pressed and vinified through the historic 1888 Gravity Cellar. The pressings were included in the juice for flavor. Fermented cool, the finished wines were held on light yeast lees for two months before blending and bottling.

Closure: Stelvin

ABV: 12.8%

LEGEND Tasting Notes: Nose of lifted rosewater, chamomile, strawberry acacia, ripe peach, and rosella jam. Savory elements of dried herbs and anise myrtle emerge on the palate. Juicy-fruited and dry with a soft yet persistent acidity and plum-skin tannins providing balance.

Production size: 1200 dozen

Scores: 91 Points (James Suckling)