



# MURRAY STREET

## Artisan

### CABERNET SAUVIGNON

A mild growing season has delivered a wine which is bristling with energy but also remains true to the regional and varietal typicity. Packed to the brim with fresh berries evoking notes of blackcurrant, red jellies, juniper and woody herbs. Medium to full bodied in nature, it gathers momentum and flows along the palate with great cadence. Fresh and vibrant but with a core of latent power and savoury earthy ironstone tannin. The palate has energy and a gravelly firmness which promises a long future. Give it a good decant in its youth and watch it bloom over the next 15+ years

#### Growing Season

The 2022 vintage was excellent and a worthy follow on from 2021. Winter was wetter than average with a particularly wet July getting the vines off to a brilliant start. Spring was particularly cool with median rainfall. Summer was mild and dry with no heat spikes. Autumn remained mild with generally perfect slow ripening conditions ensuring steady even ripening across all varieties. The 2022 yields were good and the quality is great. A great Barossa vintage displaying rich flavours with fine balance.

#### Vineyard

Greenock Estate 92%, Gomersal Estate 8%. 3 separate blocks with a mix of 4 individual Cabernet clones.

#### Varieties

Cabernet Sauvignon 89%, Cabernet Franc 6%, Merlot 2%, Petit Verdot 2%, Malbec 1%

#### Winemaking

11 months in vessel with five months in stainless steel before bottling in July 2023. Fermented in open-topped fermenters for 11-18 days. Fermented cool for aromatic retention. Gentle pumpovers employed twice daily. Parcels were destemmed and not crushed. All parcels were gently basket pressed and settled in tank. Maturation: 25% 45hL conical cask, 75% in French oak barriques and hogsheads, 18% new French oak barriques. All varieties matured on lees. Bottled unfiltered & unfiltered. Vegan friendly.

#### Alcohol

14.0%

