



# Ad Hoc

Ad Hoc is an assembly of varietal wines for any occasion, each wine sourced from its best-suited region in Western Australia.

From Margaret River, to Pemberton, to the regions of the Great Southern, we've grown up and worked amongst the vines. Our knowledge of these regions and relationships with other grape growers enables us to find the best vineyards for each grape variety, and this is what we show with through Ad Hoc.

We've travelled long to find the path of least resistance, enabling us to show you great quality at great value for money.

Ad Hoc are "go-to", dependable wines for any occasion, as characterful as their labels.

## 2022 Cruel Mistress Pinot Noir

#### THE VINTAGE:

The conditions in spring were mild and wet which set the 2022 vintage up perfectly. Late spring and summer conditions were dry and warm in the lead up to Christmas which meant there was little or no disease pressure in the vineyards with perfect bunches of Pinot and Chardonnay harvested in March and April. Wines have generous fruit flavours and excellent fresh acidities; Chardonnay and Pinot are the standout varieties for the season.

### THE WINEMAKING:

Sourced from several locations in the Great Southern, the fruit was fermented using a combination of wild fermentation, selected yeasts and 1-3 year old French oak for 6 months prior to bottling.

#### THE WINE:

The nose shows graphite, minerals and juicy black cherries. A hint of spicy oak plays a supporting role. The palate is softly textured, fresh and vibrant with flavours of black cherry and earthy beetroot. The wine has a soft, silky finish.

Vineyard Various Year Planted Various

Location Great Southern, WA

Vines per Hectare 2020 Irrigation Yes

Clone/s 777, MV6, 114, 115 Rootstock Own

Aspect Various Soils Granite/Laterite

Great Southern, WA Origin Pinot Noir Variety Picking date April 2022 Sugar at picking 12.3°Baume 12.8% 3.48  $5.63\,\mathrm{g/L}$ 2.0 g/L

Alcohol Total acidity Residual sugar **Bottled** March 2023 **Cellaring Potential** 5 years

N/A Vegan N/A Vegetarian Organic N/A Biodynamic N/A Allergens Sulphites