

2018
great southern
MERLOT

Alc/Vol	14.0%
Harvest Date	14 th April 2018
Bottling Date	13th February 2019
pH	3.30
Titration Acidity	6.0 g/L
Colour	Vibrant red garnet hues
Nose	Rich and slightly plummy in character, with persistent aromas of ripe red berries, and hints of fine chocolate and vanilla from the oak.
Palate	<p>A medium weighted style structured to show off the berry flavors that underpin the complex but subtle palate. This is a mid- weighted wine with good depth of fruit, great vibrancy, and a wonderful balance. The elegant oak tannins and natural acidity combine to provide a beautifully long, lingering finish.</p> <p>The wine was matured in French oak for a 10-month period before bottling. A pleasure to drink now yet will continue to evolve over the next seven to eight years.</p>
Vineyard	3drops Wragg Road vineyard, Mount Barker, Western Australia
Viticulturist	Ray Williams
Winemaker	Rob Diletti