

KIRRIHILL RIESLING, CLARE VALLEY

Vintage

2021



TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	Residual sugar
12.5	2.7
pH	Acidity
3.20	6.0

Part of the Kirrihill 'Regional Series', characteristic of the region, fruit driven, soft and approachable wines.

TASTING NOTE

The 2021 Riesling is as refreshing as a dip in the ocean. A bright and crisp style with fragrant citrus, floral and orange blossom notes. Fresh acidity leads to a clean, dry and mouth-watering finish.

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

A late winter and early spring rain led to an even budburst with good early canopy growth. Dry conditions prevailed from November onwards, with rainfall well below average and a generally cool growing season. Working with both Kirrihill vineyards and loyal Clare growers, this wine is a blend of multiple vineyards throughout the Valley to showcase the fine expression of Riesling.

VINIFICATION DETAILS

With the Riesling grapes picked in the early morning, when the temperatures are at their coolest, crushing and pressing of the chilled fruit occurred immediately with the aim of limiting any skin contact. After cold settling, the clean racked juice was then fermented in temperature controlled stainless steel tanks. It was then chilled immediately after fermentation to retain and protect the varietal aromas to remain pristine until bottling in mid 2021.

AWARDS

Decanter: 91 pts

IWC: Silver

ATTRIBUTES

 Origin Australia	 Variety Riesling	 Malolactic Fermentation No	 Bottle Size 75cl	 Vegetarian Yes
 Fining Agent	 Closure Screw top	 Region Clare Valley	 Vegan Yes	