



SITTELLA

2022 Silk

Semillon, Verdelho, Chardonnay



Vintage: 2022

Region: Swan Valley/Margaret River

Variety: Semillon 48.8% / Verdelho 43.5% / Chardonnay 7.6%

pH: 3.30

TA: 7.00 g/l

Alcohol: 13.0%

Oak: Stainless steel

Style: Highly aromatic, sweet scented, dry, full.

Soil type: loam, ironstone, clay/loam

Vineyard age: Average of vineyards – 20 years old

Winemakers: Yuri Berns & Jack Criddle

Wine: Based upon the age old Australian white blend of character, aromatics and subtle texture, our “Silk” is a wine which resonates easy drinking and pleasure all in the same go. Verdelho provides the fruit character and eccentrics, Chardonnay the shape and length, along with Semillon which adds silkiness and freshness to the blend of all three. This has been a mainstay wine style for us at Sittella for over fifteen years.

Vinification: All the fruit is hand-picked, reductively handled, whole bunch pressed strait to tank. Finely texture through stirring the solids in tank, some of the blend is fermented in seasoned barrels for added complexity and texture. This wine will age for a very long time due to its low phenolic content, but will drink brilliantly in the short-term as it is as the name suggests “smooth as silk”.

Tasting Notes: A very distinctive wine. A blend of Semillon, Verdelho & Chardonnay. It has passion fruit and citrus aromas, a soft full favour with concentrated tropical fruit and refreshing finish.