

# HEWITSON

BAROSSA VALLEY

## BABY BUSH

*A 'Selection Massale' commenced in 1998 from the 1853 Old Garden Vineyard. Literally babies from the parent vineyard grown as bush vines.*

*Colour* Medium red with a bright purple hue.

*Aroma* Brambly blueberry and black cherry, dried herbs and earth.

*Palate* Sarsaparilla and forest fruits backed by very soft and fully ripe tannins.



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## WINEMAKER'S NOTES

VINTAGE	2019
VARIETAL BLEND	100% Mourvedre
REGION	Barossa Valley, South Australia
APPELLATION	Barossa Valley
VINEYARD	Selection massale from Old Garden planted 1853
ALTITUDE	280m
SOIL	Ancient oxidised ferrous (terra rossa) over limestone
VINE AGE	Commenced 1998, average 18 years
PLANTING SYSTEM	Bush vine/untrellised/head pruned
VINE DENSITY	2,000 per Ha
FARMING	Dry-land, unirrigated, rye grass between rows, mulched under vine
YIELD	5.8 tonnes/Ha; 43hL/Ha
HARVEST	15 March
VINIFICATION	Combination whole bunch and crushed/on skins minimum two weeks/remontage
AGEING	15 months in seasoned French oak barrels
ANALYSES	pH: 3.71 Alcohol: 14.0% Acid: 5.1g/L Sugar: 0.2g/L

## Winery, Cellar Door, Private Dining & Accommodation

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