



# BILYARA

CABERNET SAUVIGNON  
2008

BILYARA AIMS TO DELIVER UP-FRONT FRUIT FLAVOUR WITH VARIETAL DEFINITION AND LENGTH ON THE PALATE. THIS CABERNET SAUVIGNON ACHIEVES THIS WITH BERRY CHARACTERS AND LINGERING TANNINS.

Wolf Blass Wines, established in the Barossa Valley in 1966, has grown from a humble tin shed to become one of the world's most successful and awarded wineries. Wolf Blass Wines has won Australia's most coveted trophy, the Jimmy Watson, an unprecedented four times. There is a tradition of quality, character and consistency from the refined and elite Platinum Label and the majestic and complex Black Label through to delicate Rieslings and crisp Chardonnays. Today, Wolf Blass wines are exported to more than 50 countries and are recognised internationally as icons of modern winemaking.



## WINE SPECIFICATIONS

VINEYARD REGION *South Eastern Australia*

VINTAGE CONDITIONS *Fruit was sourced from the company's own vineyards and selected contract growers in premium vineyard districts across South Eastern Australia to maintain quality and consistency. Drought conditions continued in 2008, pushing vintage forward, beginning in mid to late February. Spring was frost free followed by an unseasonally cool February, allowing optimum ripening conditions for maximum flavour development with balanced acidity. However, the State struggled through one of the longest heat waves in South Australian history, with temperatures staying above 35 degrees Celcius for two weeks. Fortunately fruit picked before the heat spike arrived at the winery in excellent condition.*

GRAPE VARIETY *Cabernet Sauvignon*

MATURATION *A small parcel of this wine was matured in oak.*

WINE ANALYSIS  
*Alc/Vol: 13.50%*  
*Acidity: 7.10g/L*  
*pH: 3.49*

PEAK DRINKING *Enjoy now or within two years of cellaring.*

## WINEMAKER COMMENTS

COLOUR *Wolf Blass Bilyara Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon is a rich deep red wine.*

NOSE *Aromas of berry, mint and chocolate drift up from the glass.*

PALATE *These scents develop into flavours of rich berry and plum with a subtle touch of oak. This wine follows through with an elegant mouth feel and good length.*