



WOLF BLASS

RED LABEL CHARDONNAY 2017

A BRIGHT, FRESH CHARDONNAY DESIGNED TO BE ENJOYED WHILE YOUNG AND VIBRANT. FRUIT DRIVEN AND BURSTING WITH FLAVOURS OF STONEFRUITS AND SUBTLE, SPICY OAK, THE PALATE IS SOFT, ROUND AND TEXTURAL WITH A LONG, CREAMY FINISH.

Wolf Blass Wines, established in 1966, has grown from a humble tin shed to become one of the world's most successful and awarded wineries. Today, Wolf Blass wines are exported to more than 50 countries and are recognised internationally as icons of modern winemaking. The essence of Wolf Blass wines is exemplified through the passion of its custodians, past and present as they continue to create wines of quality, character and consistency.

Sourced from premium vineyards, Red Label wines are a testament to our blending expertise. Ready to drink on release, the smooth Red Label blends provide easy-drinking options offering fruit-driven flavours, soft, approachable palates and excellent value.



WINE SPECIFICATIONS

VINEYARD REGION	<i>South Eastern Australia</i>
VINTAGE CONDITIONS	<i>Vine growth was slow yet healthy, after a long, wet winter, one of the wettest Septembers on record, and a cool spring and early summer. Post-veraison was moderate, with short bursts of heat and well-timed rain. An Indian summer allowed consistent ripening, with cool late-March nights extending vintage into May. Wines are well-structured, bright and aromatic, with good colour and natural acidity.</i>
GRAPE VARIETY	<i>Chardonnay</i>
MATURATION	<i>18% was matured with French oak for up to 3 months to enhance texture and complexity while retaining a fresh fruit focus.</i>
WINE ANALYSIS	<i>Alc/Vol: 13.0% Acidity: 6.3 g/L pH: 3.42 Residual sugar: 1.2 g/L</i>
PEAK DRINKING	<i>Enjoy within 1 to 2 years of vintage.</i>
FOOD MATCH	<i>Great with san choy bow, or herbed roast chicken.</i>

WINEMAKER COMMENTS

COLOUR	<i>Pale gold with green hues.</i>
NOSE	<i>Aromas of white peach and pear skin with hints of flint and subtle, spicy oak.</i>
PALATE	<i>A soft, rounded, textural palate with plenty of juicy stone fruit flavours and a long, creamy finish.</i>

Winemaker: John Ashwell