



*This classic wine is our offering to Eurus, Greek God of the East Wind and is only made in exemplary vintages when Eden Valley Cabernet Sauvignon displays outstanding quality. Eden Valley is typically cooled in the mornings and evenings by Easterly gully winds which is ideal for slowing the ripening and refining varietal flavours.*

## **2012 EURUS Eden Valley Cabernet Sauvignon**

### **Wine Description**

Deep crimson in colour with a complex array of blackberry, violets and plum aromas. On the palate pronounced blackberry characters are complemented with red currant, dried herb and anise nuances. A powerful palate with great length and finely structured with silky but persistent tannins.

### **Winemaking**

This wine is a blend of individual Cabernet Sauvignon parcels made from 2 sites in Eden Valley. One site from the warmer northern section of Eden Valley on classic red soil over limestone is combined with a cooler site from central Eden Valley creating a combination of flavours of blue berry fruits and ripe red fruits.

A variety of fermentation techniques were utilised but all involved extended skin contact and daily plunging to gently extract the tannin required for building wine structure. The ferments were pressed to a mix of new and seasoned French oak hogsheads for maturation. Matured in barrel for 20 months, then naturally clarified, lightly fined and bottled with minimal filtration.

### **Vineyard | Region**

Cabernet Sauvignon | Moculta sub-region, Eden Valley  
Cabernet Sauvignon | Keyneton sub-region, Eden Valley

### **Harvest Dates**

19<sup>th</sup> March, 31<sup>st</sup> March 2012

### **Yield**

Cabernet Sauvignon 1.5 - 2.0 t/acre

### **Wine Details**

Alcohol: 14.5%	Cabernet Sauvignon 100%
pH: 3.7	Residual Sugar: NIL
Total Acidity: 6.2 g/l	Production: 125 doz

### **Cellaring Potential**

Optimum year 2025