

Established in 1988 by fifth generation vigneron, Grant Burge is renown all over the world for crafting exceptional quality wines from the famed Barossa.

With an unwavering dedication to the land, the Grant Burge collection of award-winning wines are crafted with winemaking techniques expertly refined over more than 30 years, to showcase an elegance and generosity of flavour that is distinctive to the place in which they are grown.

# 2021 5th Generation Cabernet Merlot



#### 5th Generation

The 5th Generation wines pay tribute to founder Grant Burge, the fifth generation of the Burge family to make wine in the Barossa Valley.

GRAPE VARIETY Cabernet Sauvignon (82.4%) Merlot (9.3%), other (8.3%)

COLOUR Crimson purple with bright red hues

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Delightfully vibrant on the nose with red berry, fennel seed, blackberry leaf and bell pepper.

## PALATE

Fresh and vibrant with persistent mulberry, autumn leaf and dark chocolate flavours. The savoury oak plays a supporting role and It finishes with lovely soft tannins.

VINEYARD REGION Barossa

## VINTAGE CONDITIONS

The 2021 vintage had excellent winter rains, near average rainfall and a full moisture profile in the soil, the vines flourished throughout the season. An excellent fruit set in the spring followed by a warm dry summer preceded mild vintage conditions ensured that the grapes achieved their optimal phenolic maturity. This is an exceptional vintage, producing balanced wines with great fruit intensity and concentration.

#### WINE ANALYSIS

Alc/Vol: 14.5% Acidity (TA): 6.1 g/L pH: 3.57 Residual Sugar: 1.4 g/L

PEAK DRINKING

Now - 2027 FOOD MATCH

Barbeque Meats

WINEMAKER Craig Stansborough