

MAJELLA

C O O N A W A R R A

Majella Merlot 2013

Majella Merlot was first produced in 2004.
Estate grown from a single vineyard, Quarry block, it is only
made in exceptional years.



Winemaking

Fermentation was completed in 300 litre barrels and the wine was then aged for a further 15 months in French oak.

Vintage Conditions

Coonawarra experienced an excellent vintage in 2013 which was characterised by a warm, dry summer followed by a cool autumn: optimal conditions for our red grape varieties. 2013 promises to produce strong wines with high colour density, fruit concentration and tannin structure.

Grape Variety

100% Merlot

Region

Coonawarra

Winemakers Comments

A dark purple crimson colour. The freshness and intensity are very strong points, as are the clearly defined dark berry and plum varietal characteristics. Distinctively Coonawarra in style, there's a typical hint of leaf that contributes to the complexity. The firm, balanced structure suggests that cellaring will be rewarded.

Alcohol: 14.5%

Total Acid: 7.01

pH: 3.3

Cellaring: 6 - 8 years

Our pours are 30ml:  1 standard drink = 100ml @ 13% alcohol