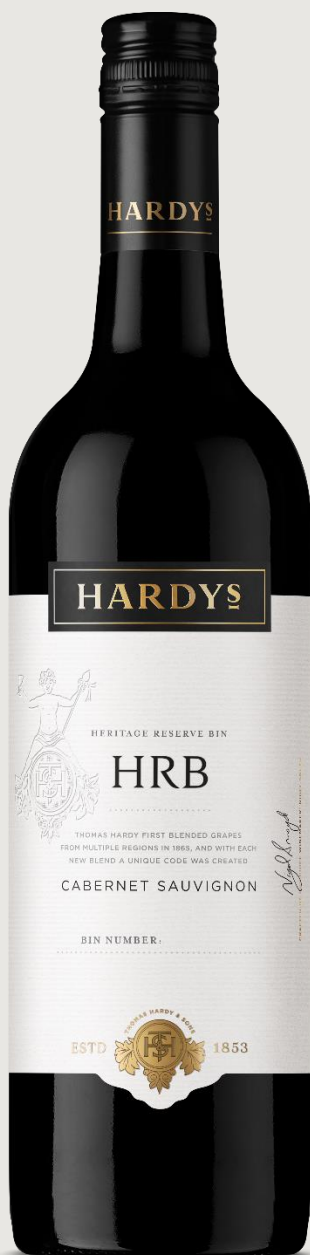


HARDYS

In 1853 Australia, against a backdrop of global uncertainty Thomas Hardy set out to make wines 'revered around the world'. In today's uncertain world Hardys continues to provide consumers certainty in their wine choice each and every time.

With over 9,000 global awards, a band of ambassadors around the globe, every bottle is a mark of...Certainty in an Uncertain World

Hardys HRB Cabernet Sauvignon 2020



HRB

History shows that Thomas Hardy first blended grapes from multiple regions in 1865. Hardy believed that blending grapes with different characteristics would complement and enhance the qualities of each region, so began Hardy's rich blending heritage.

GRAPE VARIETY

Cabernet Sauvignon

COLOUR

Deep violet with a purple hue

NOSE

Brimming with aromas of dark fruit, chocolate, bay leaf and lifted violets with a hint of tobacco leaf.

PALATE

Rich and textured with notes of dark fruit, black cherry, cassis with an overlay of olive and bay leaf. Plush and generous with layers of complexity, exhibiting length and detailed tannins alongside subtle oak.

VINEYARD REGION

Margaret River 88%, McLaren Vale 10%, Frankland River 2%

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

In McLaren Vale the season began with a good winter rainfall, spring was mild with below average rainfall. A heatwave in December hastened grape development but a cooler January and February with some early rain in February allowed the berries to slow ripening and develop beautiful fruit flavours whilst retaining natural acidity. In Frankland River 2020 was celebrated as one of the best vintages on record. A dry winter and warm dry spring led to low yields and an early vintage. However, the conditions kept disease pressures low and the warm temperatures allowed for even ripening producing berries full of intense flavour, ripe tannins and great quality.

WINE ANALYSIS

Alc/Vol: 13.76%

Acidity (TA): 5.83

pH: 3.59g/L

Residual Sugar: 0.36g/L

PEAK DRINKING

5-10 years.

FOOD MATCH

Grilled Steak with a salsa verde

WINEMAKER

Matt Caldersmith

