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## 2022 Bowen Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

**Region:** Coonawarra, Australia

Variety: Cabernet Sauvignon 100% Estate grown and hand pruned

- **Vintage:** The seasonal conditions for 2022 vintage where highly favourable; with good average winter rains, and healthy growing conditions through the summer months. Flowering towards the end of spring was quick a hallmark of balanced fruit production. A slightly warmer than average January followed by normal weather patterns for the rest of the ripening period. Grape ripeness was easily achieved for vintage producing wines with good colour optimum flavour and bright acidity levels.
- Wine: The year's favourable vintage conditions produced a dark and luscious fruit flavoured wine. Dense dark olive aromas guide the taster through a layered textured wine. Ripe rich plum characters are mouth filling supported by ample dark fruit characters. Layered tannin structures enhance the palate, a true *classic coonawarra* expression. This is a wine which will mellow wonderfully with age, for anyone who can possibly resist the temptation of drinking it now.

**Drink:** Over the next 5 - 7 years

The Bowen family is proud to guarantee the origin of this wine.

All grapes used are grown and harvested from our sustainably grown vineyards located on Coonawarra's famous terra rossa soil.