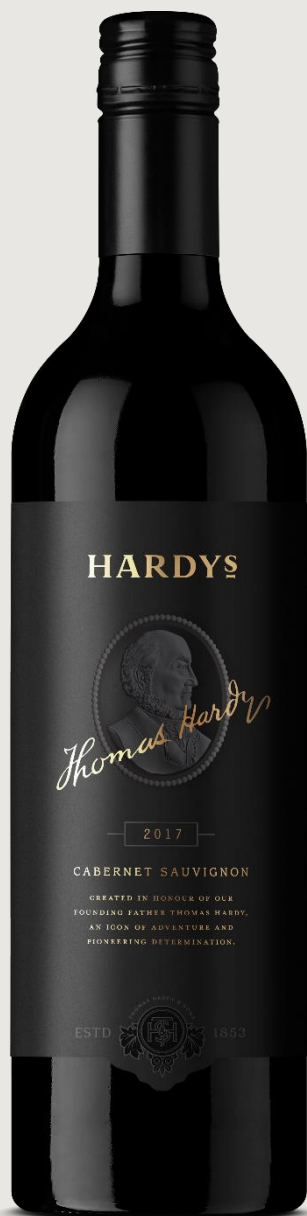


HARDYS

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.

2017 Thomas Hardy Cabernet Sauvignon



THOMAS HARDY

A tribute to Thomas Hardy, our company founder, and one of South Australia's greatest wine pioneers and visionaries.

GRAPE VARIETY

Cabernet Sauvignon

COLOUR

Vivid crimson with brilliant hue.

NOSE

Youthful aromatics of fresh plums, red & black berry fruits, mulberry and spices of clove, cinnamon, fragrant wild mint with subtle cedar oak influence.

PALATE

Tight and muscular frame with a wave of fresh dark plums, mulberry and ripe blackberry fruit moving to a more structural finish with beautifully integrated oak and fine natural tannins leading to a long mouth-watering finish.

VINEYARD REGION

Coonawarra, Margaret River

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

Good winter and spring rainfalls preceded almost perfect growing conditions for Vintage 2017. Healthy canopies and crops combined with an extended mild summer with minimal heat spikes to produce very high-quality fruit. Harvest began around 2 weeks later than in recent years with fruit showing the benefit of an elongated ripening period in both Coonawarra and Margaret River, showing excellent colour and flavour with bright natural acidity.

WINE ANALYSIS

Alc/Vol: 14.3%
Acidity (TA): 6.32g/L
pH: 3.58
Residual Sugar: 0.4g/L

PEAK DRINKING

20+ years

FOOD MATCH

Beef Tenderloin with
Blackberry Dressing

WINEMAKER

Paul Lapsley

