



# **STONEGATE**

## **CUVÉE BRUT**

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

#### **VINEYARD**

The grapes for this wine were carefully grown in the Angove family's Nanya Vineyard and carefully selected growers in the region. The low disease pressure, generally dry conditions and moderately fertile soils of the region are perfect for producing grapes with superb flavour/sugar/acid balance.

#### **WINEMAKING**

Picked early in the season to retain the acidity, the grapes were harvested in the night and transported to the winery only a few kilometres away, thus minimising any oxidation. The base wine was crafted in separate batches of Chardonnay and Pinot Noir using specially selected strains of yeast that enhance the primary fruit characteristics before assemblage and final blending. The Charmat method was utilised to develop the wines soft, fruit filled palate and elegant spritz.

#### **TASTING NOTES**

COLOUR Pale yellow/green straw

AROMA Freshly cut apple and brioche precede riper more tropical

notes.

FLAVOUR Fine bubbles add lightness and lift the primary citrus, apple

and subtle strawberry flavours

CELLAR POTENTIAL Drink now.

### HAVE IT WITH ...

Serve as an aperitif or with canapes.