



# PEPPER TREE

‘ALLUVIUS - BM’

SINGLE VINEYARD  
2019 Hunter Valley Semillon

The name ‘Alluvius’ derives from the well drained, ‘alluvial’ soils found in vineyards planted close to river beds. These soils are renowned for growing Semillon as it leads to a unique expression of what is considered to be Australia’s greatest white wine style.

Pure Semillon fruit of lime cordial and lemon sherbert showcase this classic Hunter Semillon. The palate is intense yet elegant displaying mineral texture with great line and length. A wine of great drive, coupled with extraordinary finesse. Enjoy now or confidently cellar for the next 10-20 years.

Head Winemaker, Gwyn Olsen

## VINTAGE

The 2019 was an exceptional year for the Hunter Valley. Another extremely dry year saw optimal ripening for both whites and reds without any extreme heat. The resulting whites are fresh and concentrated with good mid palate fruit weight. The reds are stand outs with intense fruit, perfectly ripe tannins and finely balanced acidity. 2019 will be a vintage talked about for many years to come.

## VINEYARD

Our 2019 Alluvius Semillon-BM comes from the Braemore Vineyard on Hermitage Road in the lower Hunter Valley. This famous vineyard was planted in the late 60's and consistently produces benchmark Hunter Semillon. The well drained ‘alluvial’ soils lead to a unique expression of what is considered Australia's greatest white wine style.

## APPELLATION / GI

Hunter Valley (New South Wales) 100%

## WINEMAKING

Hand picked and delivered to the winery, the fruit was then pressed and into tank for cold settling. The clear juice was racked off and inoculated with a chosen yeast strain and fermented cool. Once dry, the wine was left on yeast lees for one month before being prepared for bottling.

### TECHNICAL INFORMATION:

BLEND:	Semillon (100%)
BOTTLING DATE:	06/2019
BOTTLE NUMBER RANGE:	1 - 3275
PH:	3.20
TA:	6.3 g/l
ALC/VOL:	11.8%
STANDARD DRINKS:	7.0



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