



dB Selection

dB Selection varietal wines are made at the De Bortoli Bilbul Winery where more than 75 years ago Vittorio De Bortoli established the family company, crushing 15 tonnes of Shiraz in his first vintage. Carefully selected fruit is harvested at optimum maturity to produce wines with true varietal expression.

Chardonnay, Semillon Chardonnay, Colombard Chardonnay, Verdelho, Traminer Rielsing, Shiraz, Merlot, Cabernet Merlot, Shiraz Cabernet, Petite Sirah, Rosé, Sparkling Brut

COLOMBARD CHARDONNAY 2006

Region

Riverina, NSW

Appearance

Pale straw with green hues

Bouquet

The nose shows lifted tropical fruit and fresh apple aromas

Palate

The fresh citrus flavours from the Colombard infuse with the tropical fruit flavours from the Chardonnay to give a wine with richness and length.



Vintage Conditions

Consistent rains leading up to the vintage maintained vine health and fruit freshness. A warm and dry harvest period resulted in ideal ripening conditions.

Winemaking

The Colombard and Chardonnay fruit from selected vineyards in the Riverina were chosen for their intense varietal characters. The juice was cold settled then racked to fermentation. Fermentation took place at low temperatures to retain freshness and the varietal characters of the wine.

Wine Analysis

Alc/Vol : 12.5% pH : 3.30 TA : 6.40 g/L

Cellaring

Enjoy now or over the next 2 years

Suggested Cuisine

A wonderful partner to spicy chicken or seafood dishes.

General Characteristics

|| Dry / Sweet | Body

KEY	Dry	Medium Dry	Medium Sweet	Sweet
	Light Bodied	Medium Bodied	Full Bodied	