



TAYLORS®

OF CLARE VALLEY

2007 Vintage Clare Valley - Red Wines

The drought really began to take hold in 2007, making it a tough vintage for everyone in the Clare Valley, although clever winemaking by the Taylors' team ensures there are still some very good wines available.

Yields were only half that of 2006, but the reds will be particularly powerful and generous, offering what winemaker Adam Eggin describes as "ample flavours and immediate opulence."

The grapes were small but ripened quickly. The 2007 Estate Shiraz and Merlot, which Adam describes as "exquisite", are already in the marketplace, while the 06 cabernet sauvignon will soon click over to 07.

"The 2007 Pinot Noir is very good (and is proving very popular); while the 2007 Merlot is one of the best we've made and is showing great varietal character. "The 2007 Estate Shiraz will mature beautifully in bottle and we are very pleased with it as is."