



TAYLORS
OF CLARE VALLEY

2007 Vintage Clare Valley - White 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.

Adam was particularly pleased with the quality of the white wines given the difficult vintage.

"Riesling has been developing really well," he says. "It is young vibrant and fresh, although the 2008 is even better"

"Frosts late in 2006 meant we lost all of our Clare chardonnay from the 07 vintage, but we were able to source fruit from McLaren Vale and Padthaway and produced some very good wines which are doing particularly well in wine shows in the United States."