

## 2017 White Label Riesling

The Alkoomi vineyards and winery are located in the Frankland River district of Western Australia's Great Southern wine region. The name is taken from local aboriginal dialect and means 'a place we chose' and the logo represents the unique and distinctively Australian Grass tree, *Xanthorrhoea preissii*. The first plantings were in 1971 and the region's long, cool ripening conditions are perfect for growing fruit of intense varietal character.



### **Winemaking**

The estate grown fruit was harvested in the early hours of the morning, preserving the delicate varietal flavours that define this cool climate, aromatic wine. All fermentation was carried out in stainless steel, at cool temperatures to preserve the freshness and vibrancy of the fruit.

### **Vintage**

A classic cool climate growing season with ample rainfall and cold temperatures was followed by a dry and sunny autumn. The result being a slow, even ripening with tremendous flavour development at low sugar levels.

### **Colour**

Brilliant pale straw with green flecks.

### **Nose**

Lifted aromas of citrus peel, white flowers and musk.

### **Palate**

Intense flavours of grapefruit with a sherbety acidity giving freshness and length to the palate.

### **Cellaring**

Whilst ready to drink now, this wine will gain in complexity over the next five to eight years.

**Alcohol** 12.0%

