



Still the most popular source for wine drinkers in the U.K. be they On-Trade or Off-Trade. Our objective remains to provide you with a range of impeccably made wines which are mostly exclusive to H. B. Clark in the North of England. We are very pleased that our suppliers have agreed to support us by imposing price increases which are considerably less than the fall in sterling against the Australian dollar once again this year.

The following three Australian vineyards are praised throughout the industry for their persistent pursuit of quality and are very well worth considering.



NUGAN ESTATE RM WINES

Founded in the 1940s by Alfredo Nugan who had emigrated from Spain. Today Nugan is a very large family concern but all their grapes are grown in their own vineyards. Nugan Estate has been very successful in trade competitions and has risen to being in the top twelve Australian wine exporters. To quote the Wine Library “As this portfolio of wines attest, Nugan continues to focus on quality from top to bottom”.

ONE CHAIN VINEYARDS

We have introduced a small range of mid-priced well made varietal wines from the Limestone Coast and Adelaide Hills that reflect a quirky, fun, optimistic attitude! These wines – The Opportunist Shiraz, The Opportunist Sauvignon Blanc Riesling and The Pugilist Cabernet Sauvignon – have a distinct varietal fruit character, very good balance and length of flavour and have a unique presentation.

GRANT BURGE

Another family winemaking firm dedicated to quality and consistency. Grant Burge is a 5th generation winemaker and the largest independent vineyard owner in the Barossa Valley. Although the day to day winemaking is now in the very capable hands of his sons, Grant continues to monitor carefully the quality and yields of his grapes. James Halliday, Australian Wine expert praises “this industry veteran who makes consistently good, full-flavoured and smooth wines”.

H.B. Clark Wines are proud to have a North of England supply arrangement with Grant Burge giving access to trade tastings, gourmet evenings, promotions and quality point of sale for customers who list the wines.





Taste
Guide

Trade
Sales Price

Auction House Shiraz

Stylishly presented with rich and flavoursome fruit made by an award winning winery.

C

£3.89

The Landings Shiraz Cabernet

The spicy Shiraz fruit blends perfectly with the bramble and blackcurrant concentration of the Cabernet.

B

£4.15

££ Lark's Ridge Shiraz

A soft rounded easy drinking red with a light but spicy finish.

C

£4.25

Nugan Estate RM Cabernet Sauvignon

Carefully made Cabernet Sauvignon from very ripe grapes and a controlled fermentation. Result - a wine packed with classic blackcurrant and mint tastes.

C

£5.15

Nugan Estate RM Shiraz

Blackberries and bilberries to the fore with a very enticing combination of bouquet and taste. Excellent Shiraz.

D

£5.15

Currabridge Shiraz

Ripe plum and cherry fruit is evident on the nose and on the palate with vanilla from the subtle use of American oak.

C

£5.15

Jacob's Creek Shiraz Cabernet

Australia's most famous brand after kangaroos but very much more drinkable.

D

£5.51

 Grant Burge Merlot GB43

Smooth and velvety with a lingering finish and lots of spicy fruit in the mouth. Full flavoured, powerful fruit.

C

£5.59

Grant Burge Shiraz GB56

Deep Shiraz colour with aromas of black pepper and spice. Flavours of both red and black fruits complemented by careful use of oak to give a long finish.

D

£5.59

The Opportunist Shiraz

This appealing red has rich cassis and dark chocolate flavours with a velvety texture and a spicy, juicy finish.

D

£5.95

The Pugilist Cabernet Sauvignon

From the Limestone Coast this wine has all the powerful characteristics of the best Australian Cabernet, yet it is also elegant and balanced. The wine is deep and generous with blackcurrants, plums and wood spice on the palate. The finish is long, silky and smooth.

D

£5.95

Grant Burge Fifth Generation Cabernet Merlot

A bright purple colour with a complex but charming bouquet of blackcurrant, mint, cedar and ripe plums. Medium-bodied with a soft, fruity but lasting aftertaste.

D

£6.20



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RED

Thorn-Clarke Cabernet Sauvignon

Made from carefully selected fruit from premium Barossa vineyards. This is a class act full of rich, elegant black fruit flavours with soft tannins giving great structure, finesse and balance in the finish.

Taste Guide	Trade Sales Price
C	£7.75

Skuttlebutt Shiraz Cabernet

Made as part of the Margaret River range presented by Stella Bella wines, this shows a rare combination of excellence, elegance, deliciousness and fun from real enjoyment.

C	£8.75
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Grant Burge Hillcot Merlot

Rich and concentrated Merlot which is beautifully balanced ripe fruit, smooth, creamy textures and a generous finish.

C	£10.25
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Thorn-Clarke Shotfire Quartage

A wine of quite stunning power, complexity and concentrated fruit flavours as a result of the expert blending of 5 different grapes. This is Barossa Valley wine making at its very best – great length, fabulous balance and a long, long finish. Treat your customers!!

D	£11.25
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The Holy Trinity by Grant Burge

A magnificent blend of Grenache, Mourvedre and Shiraz showing smooth tannins, complex aromas of stewed fruit as well as of plums and raspberries and a long-lasting flavour that goes on and on.

C	£15.50
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ROSÉ

Grant Burge Rosé GB11

Ripe raspberry fruit balanced by clean, fresh acidity. Delightfully made combination of Shiraz and Grenache.

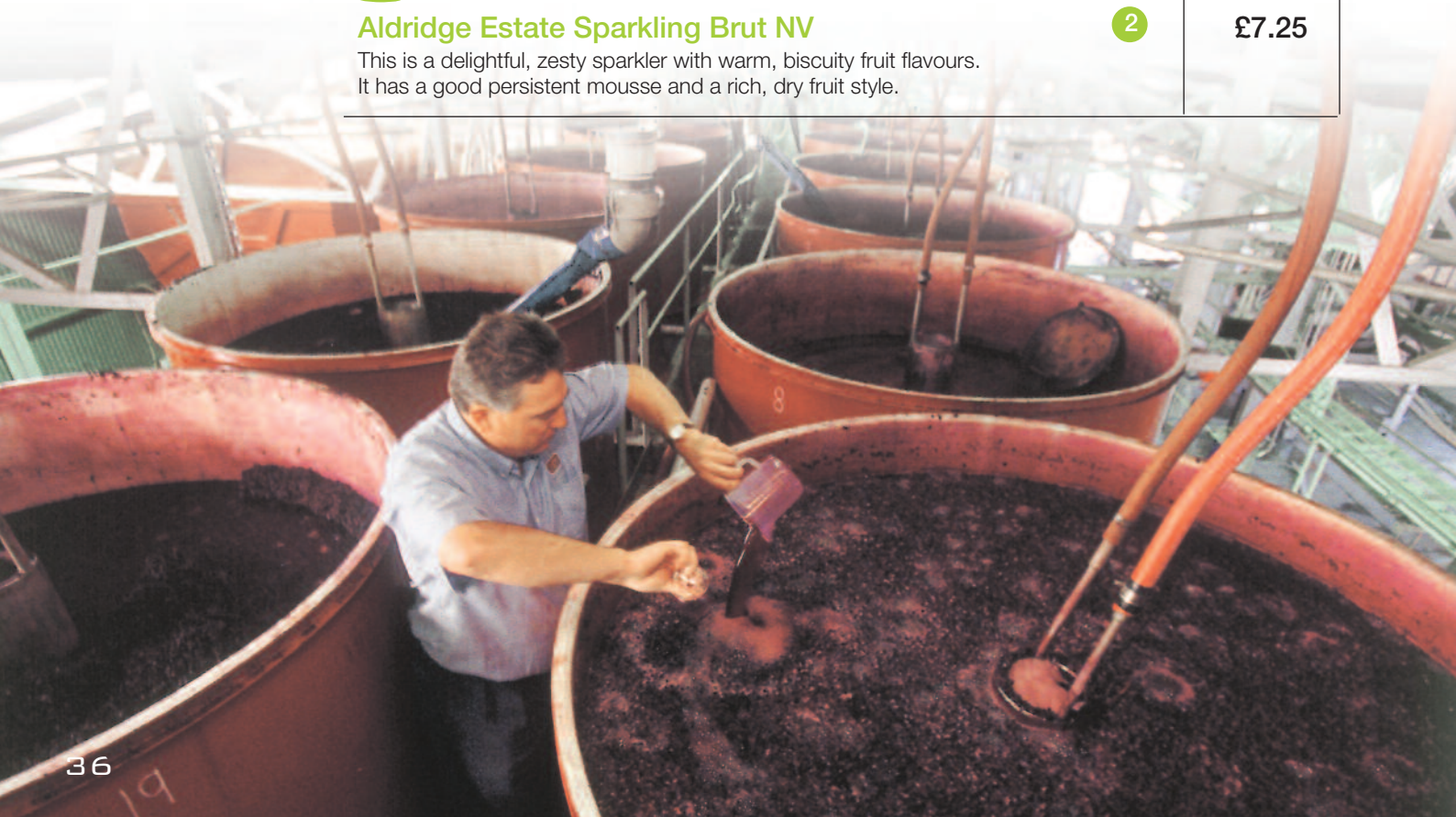
2B	£5.59
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SPARKLING

Aldridge Estate Sparkling Brut NV

This is a delightful, zesty sparkler with warm, biscuity fruit flavours. It has a good persistent mousse and a rich, dry fruit style.

2	£7.25
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WHITE

Taste Guide

Trade Sales Price

Auction House Chardonnay

Good example of popular Oz Chardonnay. The fruit is concentrated and married with delicate oak and acidity.

2

£3.89

The Landings Colombard Chardonnay

A popular combination of grapes which produces a very refreshing, fruity and tangy result on the palate.

2

£4.15

££ Lark's Ridge Chardonnay Semillon

A subtle blend of two popular grapes, light, fresh and fruity.

2

£4.25

Nugan Estate RM Chardonnay

One of the most drinkable Australian Chardonnays we have tasted. Lemony fruit and a very crisp, moreish finish.

2

£5.15

Currabridge Unwooded Chardonnay

With no oak contact, this wine shows very clean ripe peach and melon fruit.

2

£5.15

McGuigan Traminer Riesling

Medium dry, full and rich with very ripe aromatic fruit. Excellent with spicy food.

3

£5.20

Jacob's Creek Semillon Chardonnay

Australia's most famous and best selling wine. Rich Chardonnay, oak and citrus Semillon.

3

£5.51

Grant Burge Chardonnay Viognier GB23

A combination of refreshing lemon and peaches and cream flavours with delicious rich fruit and a crisp finish.

2

£5.59

The Opportunist Sauvignon Riesling

A vibrant and zesty blend. Grassy, grapefruit tinged aromas with refreshing lime and citrus fruit on the palate.

1

£5.95

Grant Burge Fifth Generation Sauvignon Blanc

An enticing and exotic Sauvignon Blanc with ripe aromas of passionfruit and tropical fruits and a full flavoured palate with balancing acidity.

1

£6.20

Grant Burge Fifth Generation Chardonnay

Beautifully balanced Chardonnay whose creamy richness comes from perfectly ripe Barossa fruit and ageing on its lees.

2

£6.20

Thorn-Clarke Pinot Gris

Pinot Gris is now being successfully grown in Australia where an expert winemaker such as Thorn-Clarke produces full bodied, fruity wines with lots of flavour.

2

£7.75

Grant Burge Summers Chardonnay

This premium Adelaide Hills Chardonnay was fermented in French oak and displays a wealth of concentrated citrus fruit flavours with a creamy texture and a long and zingy finish.

2

£10.25



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