



Vintage Report



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It's hard to begin spreading positive news at the moment especially when we are all doing it tough (so I'll wait a little).

The lead up to harvest 2020 was one of the most difficult growing years since 1969 (the old timers tell me). By the end of it we would be 50% down on the average crop level. We pretty much missed out on a winter (and spring rain too) and when a few weeks of hot wind hit us during flowering season things were looking apocalyptic. By the time we hit harvest it was hard to see the fruit on the vines in some vineyards.

The only positive is the small amount of what we have is very high quality. Would you believe, the conditions from 1st January onwards were near perfect? Why would you be a farmer? (the old timers tell me).

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