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Variety snapshot 2019 - Chenin Blanc

Variety	Chenin Blanc
Colour	White

Plantings

Source: ABS National Vineyard Survey 2015	Chenin Blanc	All varieties
Area planted in Australia (hectares)	407	135,133
Percentage of total area	0.3%	
Percentage of white varieties	0.8%	

Crush

Source: National Vintage Survey 2019	Chenin Blanc	All varieties
Tonnes crushed in 2019	5,198	1,728,454
Percentage of total crush	0.3%	
Percentage of white crush	0.7%	

Top five regions % of total crush	Chenin Blanc	All varieties
Riverland	34%	30%
Swan District	30%	0%
Riverina	14%	19%
Margaret River	11%	1%
Murray Darling - Swan Hill	6%	22%
Others	5%	27%

Exports

Source: Wine Australia Wine Export Approval System 2018-19

Exports by variety content	Chenin Blanc	All varieties
Exports by variety content in 2018-19 ('000 litres)	396	800,925
Percentage of total exports	0.0%	
Percentage of white exports	0.1%	

Label claim exports (bottled only)

	Chenin Blanc and Chenin Blanc blends	All bottled wine exports
Total exports ('000 litres) in 2018-19	56	376,204
Change in volume from 2017-18	↑ 167%	8%
Average value per litre	\$12.84	\$5.94

Top five export destinations and share of exports	Chenin Blanc and Chenin Blanc blends	All bottled wine exports
Hong Kong	45%	2%
Japan	18%	2%
China, Pr	14%	32%
United Kingdom	5%	13%
New Zealand	5%	4%
Others	14%	48%

Top five varietal label claims with Chenin Blanc in the name

- Chenin Blanc
- Chenin
- Sauvignon Blanc/Chenin Blanc
- Chenin Blanc/Sauvignon Blanc/Semillon
- Chenin Blanc/Semillon

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