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### **Growers 2004 Vintage Port**

**Vineyard-** Westcourt Vineyard Mudgee- 450 metres.

Vines are the old Craigmoor clone of shiraz

**Vintage** 2004 was a hot dry vintage with very high temps in mid February close to harvest

**Vinification-** picked at 16 Baume and fermented in an open vat down to 6 baume before fortifying with the best brandy spirit up to 17% alcohol The wine spent 14 months in neutral wood before bottling.

**Tasting notes.** A classic VP. Intense blackberry and plum fruit just starting to show leather and anise undertones as the wine starts to develop in the bottle. Drinking well now should ideally be bottle aged for at least another 5-10 years

### **Growers Muscat**

A blend of 4 vintage Muscats made from both black and white from the Lowes peak vineyards in Mudgee. Crushed fruit was fermented for 24 hours before fortifying with the best brandy spirit. Each vintage was aged separately in old barrels in the old shearing shed on the farm ( muscat needs to heat up in summer and cool down in winter) before blending from selection of individual barrels took place. A fabulous liqueur muscat



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