



LEOPARD'S LEAP FAMILY VINEYARDS SOUTH AFRICA



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CLASSIC

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2017

VARIETY 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

WINE STYLE Full-bodied, barrel-matured, capturing the best of Old and New World styles.

AGEING

30% of this wine was matured in second- and third-fill French oak barrels for 12 months, and the rest on French oak staves for the same period.

VINIFICATION

Grapes originate from the Paardeberg and Swartland areas and were picked at optimum ripeness, 24,5 degrees Balling. Standard fermentation procedures were followed, accompanied by pump-overs and punchdowns at between 26 and 28 °C, to ensure optimum colour and flavour extraction.

NOSE

Prominent dark fruit aromas of mulberry and blackberry, underlined by subtle old spice nuances, such as nutmeg and cinnamon.

PALATE

Dark fruit aromas follow through onto a supple palate with well integrated oak tannins, ensuring fullness and a lingering finish.

FOOD

Enjoy this wine with rich red meat dishes such as beef bourguignon and oxtail. Savour with fruit-cake or other desserts containing hints of cinnamon or cloves.

Alcohol	13,5% vol
Total acid	5,21 g/l
pH	3,63
Residual sugar	4,05 g/l