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Groote Post Merlot 2003

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The bounty of our merlot vineyards is almost endless. In this wine the intensely concentrated, super-ripe fruit gives an almost syrupy consistency on the palate. One could easily be tempted to drink it upon release, but cellaring for a few years will leave the various elements - fruit, acid, oak and tannin- harmoniously integrated.



variety : Merlot | 100% Merlot
winery : Groote Post Vineyards
winemaker : Lukas Wentzel
wine of origin : Coastal
analysis : **alc :** 14.0 % vol **rs :** 1.7 g/l **pH :** 3.75 **ta :** 5.6 g/l
type : Red
pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

in the vineyard : Vines planted: 1993
Soil: Hutton & Oakleaf
Clones: MO: 181 & 192 B
Yield: 7t/ha
Irrigation: Supplementary
Trellising: 5 wire Perold
Elevation: 300m

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested at 25Â° Balling.

in the cellar : Wood maturation: 13 months
Bottled: December 2004

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