

Steenberg Nebbiolo 2006

This medium bodied Nebbiolo is light plum in colour with hints of stewed prunes, spice and strawberry preserve on the nose. Firm structure and good balance between acid, tannins and fruit on the palate.

The ideal partner for any Italian cuisine.

variety : Nebbiolo | 100% Nebbiolo

winery : Steenberg Vineyards

winemaker : John Loubser

wine of origin : Coastal

analysis : alc : 14.1 % vol rs : 3.0 g/l pH : 3.5 ta : 6.2 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

in the vineyard : Soil type: Clovelly/Sterkspruit

Trellising: Elongated Perold

Age of vines: 12 years

Pruning: Spur - 2 bud

Yield: 5 ton/ha

Rootstock: 101 - 114 MGT

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested at a sugar level of 25Å° B in March 2006.

in the cellar : After harvesting the grapes were crushed into stainless steel fermentation tanks where they fermented at 28Å° C for approximately 10 days. The juice was actively inoculated with a yeast selected for the development of the natural characters in the Nebbiolo grape. Three pump-overs were done per day to extract colour and tannin. The wine was matured in second and third fill 225 liter French oak barrels for 12 months. After a light egg-white fining the wine was bottled.



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