

## Mount Rozier Merlot

Brazil-, hazel- and walnuts, with hints of roasted plums, on the nose. Smooth tannins with lovely sweet fruit – rich and silky, with a big structure. This is a wine built to last.

Our Merlot can be enjoyed with wild mushroom dishes, duck and veal.

**variety :** Merlot | Merlot

**winery :** Mount Rozier Wines

**winemaker :** The Winemaking Team

**wine of origin :**

**analysis :** alc : 15.0 % vol    rs : 2.90 g/l    pH : 3.79    ta : 6.10 g/l

**type :** Red

**pack :** Bottle    **size :** 0    **closure :** Cork

**in the vineyard :** Planted alongside another Merlot vineyard and separated only by a small service track the Blitzy Merlot vineyard is indeed a unique plot with a marked individual character.

The Blitzy Merlot vineyard outperforms its neighbour significantly and our team are so specific about selection that they actually mark the best rows within the vineyard and utilise only these in the final blend.

The soil on the lower reaches of the site is more of a duplex type consisting of coarse gravel and sand on clay this gives way to the granite based Oakleaf as the climb begins.

Size: 1.85 hectares

Planted: 1998

Aspect: South West

Altitude: 165m – 185m (Above sea level)

Soil Type: Kroonstad/Oakleaf

Climate: Coastal/Cool Martime

Planting Density: 2,700 per Ha

Training System: VSP

**about the harvest:** Yield per hectare: 6 Tons

