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# Vansha Dry Red 2008

Sweet red berries evolve to a mineral mintiness and hints of leather where a juicy midpalate is well supported by the firm oak tannin structure and long, dry finish.




**variety :** Cabernet Sauvignon | 52% Cabernet Sauvignon 48% Merlot
**winery :** Ridgeback Wines
**winemaker :** Toit Wessels
**wine of origin :** Paarl
**analysis :** **alc :** 14.0 % vol **rs :** 2.69 g/l **pH :** 3.79 **ta :** 5.42 g/l
**type :** Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full
**pack :** Bottle **closure :** Cork

**in the vineyard :** There are 5 varieties used in this blend:

- Merlot 59%
- Cabernet Sauvignon 23%
- Petit Verdot, Shiraz, Cinsaut

**about the harvest:**

| | **Merlot** (27 January 2007) | **Cabernet Sauvignon** (14 February 2007) |
|---|---|---|
| Sugar | 24.53° Balling | 24.49° Balling |
| Acid | 5.58g/l | 5.52g/l |
| pH | 3.72 | 3.77 |