

Savanha Special Reserve Merlot 2007

Dark ruby in colour, the wine shows delicious aromas of caramel and black cherry. A smooth palate of fresh black cherries is joined by flavourful caramel and cedar reminiscent fruit and a smooth supporting structure.

Serve with grilled lamb chops with spicy blackberry relish.

variety : Merlot | Merlot

winery : Savanha

winemaker : Johan Jordaan

wine of origin : Western Cape

analysis : alc : 14.5 % vol rs : 3.5 g/l pH : 3.69 ta : 5.7 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Herbaceous **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

ageing : Enjoy now or within 6 years of harvest.

about the harvest: Grapes were hand-harvested from selected vineyards blocks and meticulously sorted. After cold soaking for 2 days at 13 -14 degrees celsius, the grapes fermented in stainless steel tanks at 22-26 degrees celsius. Wines from specific tanks were selected to undergo malolactic fermentation in oak barrels. The wine matured in French oak, with only the finest wine selected for blending and bottling.

