

## KWV Classic Collection Cabernet Sauvignon 2008

A medium bodied dry red wine, with deep brick red colours enhanced by a subtle purple hue, fresh and lively blackcurrant, blackberry and plum flavours, complemented by hints of mint and cedar spice. A multi-dimensional wine with a seamless follow through on the palate.

Enjoy on its own or with lamb, rich and flavourful stews, Peking Duck, or game meat dishes.

**variety :** Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

**winery :** KWV Classic Collection

**winemaker :** The Winemaking Team

**wine of origin :** Western Cape

**analysis :** alc : 13.85 % vol   rs : 2.61 g/l   pH : 3.66   ta : 5.54 g/l

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

**pack :** Bottle   **closure :** Cork

**ageing :** Enjoy immediately, but keeps well for 1 to 2 years.

**in the vineyard :** Slow ripening conditions resulted in a later than usual start to the 2008 harvest. The cool and wet conditions during the 2007 winter period resulted in small berries with concentrated flavours. Slow ripening ensured slow sugar and flavour development, creating outstanding products from the 2008 harvest.

### ABOUT THE AREA

South Africa's vineyards are mostly situated in the Western Cape near the coast. This is the southernmost region of the African continent, and has a Mediterranean type climate and diverse soils perfectly suited to quality grape production.

**about the harvest:** Harvesting took place middle of March to the beginning of April.

