

KWV Classic Collection Cabernet Sauvignon 2009

Upfront fresh red berries with notes of violets and herbs. The wine is medium bodied, well structured and bursting with fruit on the palate. Hints of vanilla and marzipan completes the soft and generous wine.

Enjoy on its own or with a variety of lamb or cold meat dishes.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : KWV Classic Collection

winemaker : The Winemaking Team

wine of origin : Western Cape

analysis : alc : 14.21 % vol rs : 2.73 g/l pH : 3.5 ta : 6.37 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

ageing : Enjoy now, but can still be enjoyed for 1 - 2 years from vintage.

in the vineyard : About the area

South Africa's vineyards are mostly situated in the Western Cape region, 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.

Vintage conditions

Cool temperate conditions during the growing season resulted in small, concentrated berries. Veraison was even, therefore ensuring even ripening of grapes. The period was characterised by low disease incidence. During harvest, the cooler than average summer temperatures resulted in an excellent balance between sugar and acid. Lower yields deliver a well balanced wine that offers intense fruit flavours.

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

in the cellar : Maturation

8 - 10 months wood maturation.

