

Vergenoegd Cabernet Sauvignon 2004

Colour: Deep, vibrant garnet red with a crimson edge.

Nose: Forthcoming dark fruits of black cherries, plums and cassis, followed by layers of pencil shavings, cigarbox and vanilla. Subtle hints of dark chocolate and mint.

Palate: Accessible, juicy, well-balanced soft fruits with a firm structure and well-integrated tannins. Full-bodied with an excellent texture. A long, lingering finish with hints of chocolate and raspberries.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 86% Cabernet Sauvignon, 14% Merlot

winery : Vergenoegd Löw The Wine Estate

winemaker : John Faure

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 14.0 % vol rs : 1.1 g/l pH : 3.65 ta : 6.2 g/l

type : Red **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

in the vineyard : This wine is blended from various Cabernet Sauvignon blocks on the farm with vines planted in sandy top soil over a deep clay base layered with calcareous deposits. This restrict yields naturally and together with the cooling False Bay winds the grapes ripen easily without losing too much of their natural acidity. This almost near perfect natural balance between growth and yield necessitates only a very light summer canopy management program.

in the cellar : Wood Maturation

22 months in 300 liter French oak barrels

1st Fill: 65%

2nd Fill: 35%

Bottling Date: 16/02/2006



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