

Bovlei Vineyard Selection Cabernet Sauvignon 2009 (Discontinued)

A full-bodied wine with explosion of berry fruit, mint aromas and flavors. Wood on the palate rounds off the wine.

Red meat, beef & lamb

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : Bovlei Cellar (Wellington Wines)

winemaker : Jacques Theron / Frank Meaker

wine of origin : Wellington

analysis : alc : 14.5 % vol rs : 2.0 g/l pH : 3.48 ta : 6.2 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **size :** 0 **closure :** Cork

ageing : 5 years

about the harvest: Grapes for this particular wine were handpicked at 24° Balling from selected clones of Cabernet Sauvignon vineyards.

Yield: 6 tons per hectare.

in the cellar : After destalking and the addition of selected yeasts, the juice, together with the skins were allowed to ferment in closed combi stainless-steel tanks at controlled temperatures between 25° C and 28° C. During the process the juice was regularly run over the skins to optimise flavour and colour extraction. At 5° Balling, juice was drained from the skins and any juice remaining in the skins recovered with the use of a gentle tank press. After allowing for malolactic fermentation the wine was racked from the lees and transferred to 225l new French oak barrels for maturation.

