

## Stellekaya Cabernet Sauvignon 2008

An intense, full bodied Cabernet with a complex palate and hints of Mocha coffee. A good balance between fruit, acidity and wood character, ensuring good cellaring potential.

**variety** : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon  
**winery** : Stellekaya Winery  
**winemaker** : Ntsiki Biyela  
**wine of origin** : Stellenbosch  
**analysis** : alc : 15 % vol   rs : 1.3 g/l   pH : 3.68   ta : 6.4 g/l  
**type** : Red   **style** : Dry   **body** : Full   **taste** : Fruity   **wooded**  
**pack** : Bottle   **closure** : Cork

**ageing** : 8 - 10 years

**in the vineyard** : Situation: North of Stellenbosch  
Altitude: 180 meters  
Soil Type: Tukulú (Decomposed Granite)  
Age of vines: 10 years  
Irrigation: Drip irrigation

**about the harvest**: Grapes were hand picked at full ripeness in March 2008.  
Yield was approximately 8 tons per ha.

**in the cellar** : Must treatment: cold maceration for 3 days  
Fermentation: open micro fermenters  
Pressing: basket pressed  
Malolactic fermentation: in the barrel  
Maturation: 20 months French oak, 60% new  
Bottled: January 2010  
Production: 13 500 liters

