

Jordan Cabernet Sauvignon 2009

Deep ruby colour, huge mouth-filling flavours of blackberry, cassis and vanilla. French oak barrels add a complex toastiness. Alluring in its youth but will reward those who resist temptation and explore the wine's maturation potential.

Perfect with roast leg of lamb or beef fillet.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : Jordan Wine Estate

winemaker : Gary & Kathy Jordan

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 14.0 % vol rs : 2.3 g/l pH : 3.63 ta : 6.0 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

International Wine and Spirits Competition 2013 - Silver
Decanter World Wine Awards 2013 - Bronze

in the vineyard : Spectacular panoramic views of Stellenbosch and Cape Town, cool hillside vineyards planted to classic varieties, and a modern family-run winery have combined to produce distinctive wines displaying the ripe concentrated fruity accessibility of the New World, with the complex elegance of classic wine.

15 - 19 year old Cabernet Sauvignon vineyards, (Clones: CS163, CS27, CS14, CS46) situated on west- and north-facing slopes between 200 and 240m above sea level.

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested between 10 March and 24 March 2009 at 22.8 - 24.1°B.

in the cellar : Fermented in overhead retort-shaped, stainless steel fermentors. Pump-overs were done three times daily during fermentation. Selected tanks received extended maceration on the skins after fermentation. The use of gravity and gentle pressing ensure full-flavoured wines with soft, balanced tannins. The wine was racked into barrels where it underwent malolactic fermentation. After further racking it spent 19 months in new and used French oak barrels, before being lightly filtered prior to bottling.



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