

Blaauwklippen Cultivar Selection Merlot 2008

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Creamy pasta dishes, leg of lamb, fillet steak.

variety : Merlot | 100% Merlot

winery : Blaauwklippen Vineyards

winemaker : Rolf Zeitvogel with Albert Basson

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : alc : 14.03 % vol rs : 1.9 g/l pH : 3.6 ta : 5.5 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

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in the cellar : Spontaneous fermentation with one week extended skin contact after completion of alcoholic fermentation. Matured in a combination of small and large oak vats.



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