

Hoopenburg Cabernet Sauvignon 2011 - Bush Vine

Nose: Red fruit dominates, notes of raspberries. Palate: A smooth, rich, meaty multi-layered wine with good freshness .

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : Hoopenburg Wines

winemaker : Helanie Olivier

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : **alc** : 14.5 % vol **rs** : 3.0 g/l **pH** : 3.65 **ta** : 5.2 g/l

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

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

in the vineyard : The grapes from this wine come solely from 15 year old Hoopenburg bush vines.

about the harvest: The grapes were picked at 25° balling.

in the cellar : The grapes were destemmed but not crushed to preserve the fruit. The grapes were fermented for 3 weeks on the skins before being pressed and laid to rest in French oak barrels - 20% new and the balance went into 2nd and 3rd fill. Here the malolactic fermentation occurred. The wine was lightly fined and filtered before being bottled.

