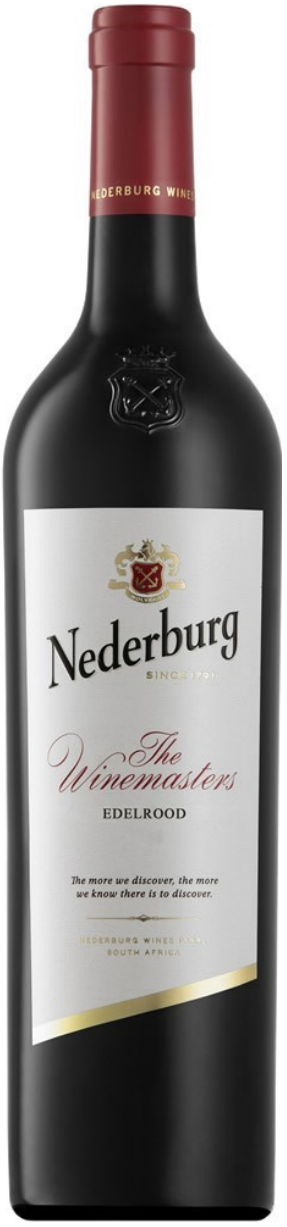
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Nederburg The Winemasters Edelrood 2015



Colour: Garnet red.
Bouquet: Aromas of red fruit and tomato leaf with nuances of red currant and vanilla.
Palate: Soft and juicy with ripe fruit and spicy vanilla flavours and soft tannins.

Delicious with oxtail, casseroles, red meat, game, robust pizza and pasta dishes.

variety : Cabernet Sauvignon | 62% Cabernet Sauvignon, 38% Merlot
winery : Nederburg Wines
winemaker : Samuel Viljoen
wine of origin : Western Cape
analysis : **alc :** 14.71 % vol **rs :** 3.59 g/l **pH :** 3.77 **ta :** 5.54 g/l
type : Red **body :** Medium **taste :** Fruity **wooded**
pack : Bottle **size :** 750ml **closure :** Cork

Nederburg's premium wines are accommodated in The Winemasters ensemble, named to honour the long-established tradition of winemaking excellence. These classically styled, food-friendly wines with refreshing fruit flavours, elegance and finesse, treasure the integrity of our grapes in every step of the wine-growing and winemaking journey. Every glass demonstrates an unwavering commitment to world-class vineyard and cellar skills.

This wine is made from a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon (62%) and Merlot (38%) grapes.

in the vineyard :
The grapes were sourced from bush and trellised vineyards in the Paarl, Darling and Stellenbosch areas. Planted between 1990 and 1998, the vines are grown in decomposed granite on south-westerly facing slopes, situated some 50 m to 150 m above sea level. The vines, grafted onto nematode-resistant rootstocks Richter 99 and R110, are grown under dryland conditions while some of the vines received supplementary irrigation by means of an overhead sprinkler system.

about the harvest:
The grapes were harvested by hand and machine between 23° and 25° Balling during February and March.

in the cellar :
The fruit was crushed and fermented on the skins in temperature-controlled stainless steel tanks at 25ºC to 28ºC for 10 to 14 days. Upon completion of malolactic fermentation the wine was matured in a contact with oak for a period of 15 months.

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