

## Backsberg Cabernet Sauvignon 2016

Spicy aromas of liquorice and vanilla overlay rich blackcurrant fruit. Careful oaking provides the necessary structure for the ripe, full and fruit-driven mid palate. Complex and long lasting, this wine has depth and power and will reward further bottle ageing.

A classic Cab that will compliment all meals when a fine red wine is called for; or to end off an evening with rich cheeses.

**variety :** Cabernet Sauvignon | 100% Cabernet Sauvignon

**winery :** Backsberg Family Wines

**winemaker :** Alicia Rechner

**wine of origin :** Paarl

**analysis :** alc : 14.32 % vol    rs : 3.6 g/l    pH : 3.47    ta : 5.9 g/l

**type :** Red    **style :** Dry    **taste :** Fruity    **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle    **size :** 750ml    **closure :** Cork

**ageing :** 7 - 20 years

**in the vineyard :** Climate: Mediterranean

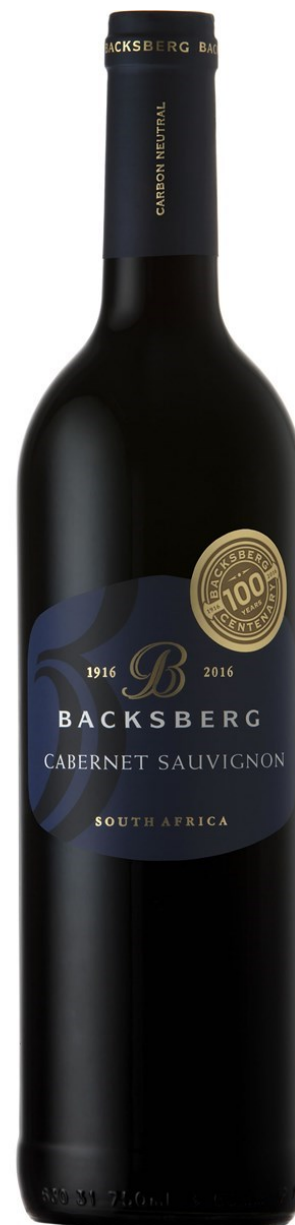
Soil Type: Sandy clay from Paarl vineyards, medlow yield, 190m, East – South East elevation

Origin: Paarl

Viticulture: 10 year old vineyards. Very dry and warm year. Berries have small size and very concentrated fruit.

**in the cellar :** Cool-crushed and cold-soaked for a few days prior to fermentation.

During fermentation, aerated pump-overs 4 times a day further help the gentle extraction of colour and tannins. Post fermentation skin contact and 18 - 24 months of oak-aging produce a wine that has both bold structure and sufficient weight on the midpalate.



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