

## **Backsberg Cabernet Sauvignon 2017**

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:14.3% vol rs:3.4 g/l pH:3.5 ta:6.0 g/l

type: Red style: Dry taste: Fruity wooded

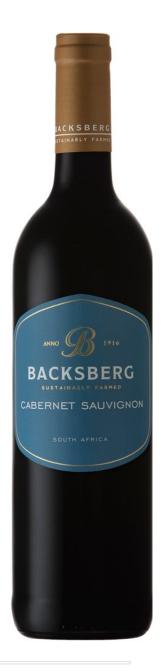
pack: Bottle size: 750ml closure: Cork

2020 John Platter - 86 Points

ageing: 7 - 20 years

in the vineyard: A combination of newer and older hedged VSP vines, planted in rich Oak leaf and weathered granite soils.

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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