

La Petite Ferme Merlot 2017

A Merlot that is subtle, complex, elegant and firm in each glass. This is a wine that lures you in with elements of cherry fruits, buchu, peppermint chocolate and mocha.

variety : Merlot | 100% Merlot

winery : La Petite Ferme

winemaker : Wikus Pretorius

wine of origin : Western Cape

analysis : alc : 14.4 % vol rs : 2.6 g/l pH : 3.54 ta : 6.4 g/l

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

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

about the harvest:

Picked between 25.0 - 25.5 Balling

in the cellar :

Picked between 25.0 - 25.5 Balling Fermentation in open fermenters for 10 days, cap punched down manually every 5 hours. Wood maturation: 225L French Oak barrels for 12months, 25% new

The wine also spends 12 months on French oak which is integrated elegantly and delivers good weight on the mid-palate and finishing off with firm powdery tannins. A complex, but balanced wine with great versatility.



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