

## Kanonkop Kadette Cape Blend 2020

Vibrant crimson hues, with complimenting aromas of raspberries, dark cherries, plums, cinnamon and cloves. Supple, elegant tannins and a fresh seam of acidity are beautifully balanced with a vibrant explosion of fruit on the palate. Juicy flavours of red and black fruits, and a hint of chocolate, dominate the lengthy finish.

Pizza | Pasta | Barbequed meat | Roast chicken | Beef or lamb burgers | Beef stew

**variety** : Pinotage | 44% Pinotage, 29% Merlot, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon, 2% Cabernet Franc

**winery** : Kanonkop Wine Estate

**winemaker** : Abrie Beeslaar

**wine of origin** : Stellenbosch

**analysis** : alc : 13.87 % vol   rs : 3.4 g/l   pH : 3.63   ta : 5.5 g/l

**type** : Red   **wooded**

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

**ageing** : Can age 5 to 7 years from vintage

**in the cellar** : Fermentation took place in open-top concrete fermenters at 28°C. The floating skins were punched down mechanically, every 2 hours during fermentation. The juice was drawn off the skins after 3 - 5 days. After malolactic fermentation the wine was matured for 12 months in 2nd and 3rd fill 225L French Nevers oak barrels.

