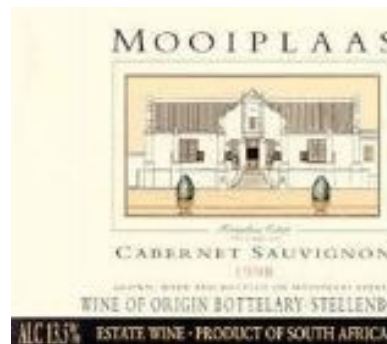


## Mooiplaas Cabernet Sauvignon 1998

Very intense colour, almost black. Nose shows typical berry and minty fruit backed up by quality oak. Big structure and good intensity, well balanced.

**variety :** Cabernet Sauvignon | Cabernet Sauvignon  
**winery :** Mooiplaas Estate  
**winemaker :** Louis Roos  
**wine of origin :** Stellenbosch  
**analysis :** alc : 13.8 % vol rs : 2.3 g/l pH : 3.67 ta : 6.0 g/l  
**pack :** Bottle **closure :** Cork



**ageing :** A powerful wine that should age very well.

**about the harvest:** Harvested on the 22nd and 23rd of February 1998 at 3 & 6 tonnes per hectare. The grapes were brought in at 25° Balling.

**in the cellar :** Fermentation took place for 9 days on the skins in closed tanks at approximately 25°C. Pumped over 3 times per day. Maturation took place in small French and American-oak barrels for 14 months. No filtration or stabilisation was used prior to bottling, which was in November 1999 at the estate.