

Nederburg is one of South Africa's leading wineries, with a prize-winning pedigree that stems from a culture of innovation and disciplined attention to detail. The wines are richly fruited with elegant, fresh flavours and structure, and range from exclusive, micro-edition offerings for the connoisseur to wines styled for everyday enjoyment.

NEDERBURG Nederburg Cabernet Sauvignon | 2019

THE RANGE:

Nederburg's core range of varietal and blended wines is an expression of its proud legacy of winemaking excellence, dating back to 1791. These classically styled, food-friendly wines with abundant fruit flavours, elegance and finesse, treasure the integrity of the grapes in every step of the wine-growing and winemaking journey. Every drop demonstrates an unwavering commitment to world-class vineyard and cellar skills. This wine is made from Cabernet Sauvignon (86%), Cabernet Franc (6%), Petit Verdot (3.8%) and some other red cultivars.

VINEYARDS:

The grapes were sourced from top-performing vineyards situated in the Darling, Stellenbosch, Philadelphia and Paarl wine-growing areas. The vines are grown in granite, sandstone and shale soils, resulting in grapes with a higher natural acidity and resulting freshness. Open vineyard canopies bring about greater sunlight penetration of the grape bunches, contributing to a well-balanced acidity, in turn contributing to better tannin structure and fruit expression as well as deeper colour intensity.

WINEMAKING:

The grapes were harvested at 23° to 25° Balling, from mid-February until the end of March. On arrival at the cellar, the fruit was gently crushed and fermented on the skins in temperature-controlled stainless-steel tanks at 25° to 28° C, for 14 days. Additional oxygen was given during fermentation to add to colour intensity and realise a more polished and accessible tannin structure. The wine was drained from the skins after fermentation. Upon completion of malolactic fermentation, the wine was matured in contact with selected oak for a period of 10 to 12 months. A portion of the wine was matured in in a combination of first-, second-, third- and fourth-fill oak barrels. Plant proteins were used exclusively during setting and fining, making this wine suitable for vegans and vegetarians.

WINEMAKER:	Samuel Viljoen		
VARIETY / VARIETIES:	Cabernet Sauvignon (86%), Cabernet Franc (6%), Petit Verdot (3.8%), Other varieties (4.2%)		
COLOUR:	Bright red.		
BOUQUET:	Rounded, sweet red and dark fruit aromas with subtle hints of spice and well-integrated oak.		
PALATE:	Black Forest Gateau in a glass! Flavours of cocoa and black cherry, with creamy texture and a hint of exotic masala spice and peppercorn. Refreshing and velvety with a lingering aftertaste.		
FOOD SUGGESTIONS:	Excellent with barbecued red meats and casseroles, venison, beef burgers, pizza and pasta dishes.		
RESIDUAL SUGAR:	4.00 g/l	ALCOHOL:	13.55 %



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