



## 2014 Waterford Estate Cabernet Sauvignon

Cultivars: 90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% Petit Verdot, 4% Merlot

Production Area: Waterford Estate, Stellenbosch

Production Quantity: 182 Barrels

Barrel Ageing 18 months, 34% new, 225L French oak barrels

Analysis:	Alc	14.5%	RS	2.2 g/L
	TA	5.1 g/L	pH	3.63

### Description:

A classic Helderberg Cabernet Sauvignon showing characteristic sweet cedar wood, cold stone and light earthy tones with strong violet, red berry and black current fruit. The wine is elegantly structured with a typical tight and dry structure which finishes with great balance and freshness. The wine will age and develop harmoniously for 6 to 15 years.

### Vintage Review:

Good long winter, but late rains and cold delaying pruning. Great windless conditions experienced during flowering resulted in a high yielding vintage. February temperatures were extremely hot pushing ripening and this made for a quick harvest. Highest recorded tonnages for Waterford Estate. Whites were challenging and the red wines have seriously impressed.