

# STELLENBOSCH

## 1679

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2019



**VARIETALS:** Cabernet Sauvignon 100%

**STYLE:** Full bodied, deep red colour with dark fruits and licorice aromas. On the palate the wine shows a balanced tannin structure with flavours of blackberry and hints of herbaceous freshness.

**SOIL:** Decomposed granite, Oakleaf and Tukululu soils.

**AGE OF VINES:** 19 years.

**VINIFICATION:** 9 days on skins in rotor fermenters at 25°C.

**BARREL AGING:** 24 months in new 300 liter 100% Classic French oak barrels from Tonnellerie Bossuet.

**CLIMATE:** Low rainfall, drier ripening season with cooler nights and warm, dry days during picking.

**GRAPES:** Smaller berries, with excellent colour and flavour intensity, harvested at optimum phenolic ripeness.

**OPTIMUM DRINKING:** This excellent 2019 vintage will peak from mid 2022 to 2032 when tertiary aromas will start to develop.

**FOOD SUGGESTION:** Game, beef and lamb dishes.

Alcohol : 13.63 % | RS : 3.0 g/l | pH : 3.61 | Total Acid: 5.9 g/l