



**DU TOITSKLOOF**

**CABERNET SAUVIGNON**



BLACK CHERRY



BLACKCURRANT



SPICES

**our table.**

**OUR WINE.**

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**our conversation.**

Keep up the tradition to unwind with good company. Bring out this superb, steadfast red and toast those true connections that can happen without words.

**our cuisine.**

When only roast lamb done Grandma's way with all the trimmings will do, the gravy deeply savoury. It's the familiar sizzle of braai classics on the coals, the crispness of lamb chops' fatty side. It's the sense of satisfaction when your ribeye steak is done to your perfection, confident the Cab will do it justice.

**our celebration.**

Life's big moments call for the king of reds. It's for coming-home occasions, farewell dinners, weekend feasts, Saturday night's dinner party and Sunday's traditional lunch.

**ORIGIN.**

Western Cape.

**TERROIR.**

Vines are grown in sandy loam and weathered scale type soil. Controlled irrigation is applied as moisture levels are measured by neutron hydrometers. Leaf canopies are carefully managed to ensure the berries receive adequate sunlight.

**OUR WINEMAKER'S NOTES.**

Grapes are picked when reaching optimum physiological ripeness at 25°-26° Balling. After crushing and de-stemming, the mash is pumped over to rotor tanks and left on the skins for two days at between 10°C to 15°C. Fermentation follows with rotor tanks turned every 4-6 hours. After primary fermentation that lasts for 6-8 days, the wine is racked, skins pressed and malolactic fermentation takes place. The wine is then matured for 10 months in French oak before bottling.

**TASTING NOTES.**

This full-bodied red wine holds aromas of blackcurrant, black cherry, cassis and spices from 10 months in wood. Sweetish and richly textured on the palate with good supple, dry tannins, ending in a long-lasting savoury finish.

**CHARACTERISTICS.**

Dry red with a full body at 14% Alc. Enjoy now or drink within 4 years of bottling. 100% Cabernet Sauvignon packaged in a 750ml screw cap bottle.

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