

MOSAIC, INDABA

2020

Vintage



TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	Residual sugar
14.0	3.1
рН	Acidity
3.58	5.6

ATTRIBUTES



A commitment to social responsibility is integral to the Indaba philosophy, and a portion of the sales supports early education for workers' children.

TASTING NOTE

This succulent Bordeaux blend flaunts alluring aromas and juicy flavours of blackcurrant, ripe brambly berry fruit and dark chocolate, with subtle spice notes. Soft, gentle tannins coat the palate. The 2020 blend consists of 77% Merlot, 12.7% Cabernet Sauvignon, 8.3% Malbec, 2% Petit Verdot.

VINTAGE CONDITIONS

The 2020 harvest period was characterized by typical dry conditions and moderate temperatures. Carry-over effects from the heat during spring and effective canopies promoted ripening in the early cultivars and were therefore harvested much earlier. Sustained moderate temperatures occurred until the end of March and resulted in effective plant functioning and full maturity in late cultivars.

VINIFICATION DETAILS

The grapes were harvested in the cool early morning hours. They were then de-stemmed and crushed. The Cabernet Sauvignon was fermented for eight days, with regular pumpovers. It was then pressed and racked to concrete tanks to complete alcoholic fermentation. The remainder of the components were fermented in stainless steel tanks until dry, with gentle pumpovers performed regularly. The wine was then pressed and returned to tank for malolactic fermentation and aging. Approximately 15% of the blend was aged in French oak.

