

# MOSAIC, INDABA

Vintage

2019





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 (71% Cabernet Sauvignon, 9.4% Merlot, 9.3% Malbec, 8.6% Cabernet Franc, 1.7% Petit Verdot) flaunts enticing aromas and juicy flavours of blackcurrant, ripe brambly berry fruit and dark chocolate, with subtle spice notes. Soft, gentle tannins coat the palate, enticing you to take another sip!

## VINTAGE CONDITIONS

The very dry, warm weather conditions throughout the 2019 harvest resulted in healthy grapes and small berries with good intensity. Despite the drought conditions yields were good in the general Coastal and Breed river area. The vintage was free of disease and vine stress, and the vines were able to carry the crop to optimum ripeness.

## VINIFICATION DETAILS

The grapes were harvested in the cool early morning hours before being destemmed and crushed. The Cabernet Sauvignon was fermented for six days, with regular pumpovers. It was then pressed and racked to concrete tanks to complete alcoholic fermentation and undergo malolactic 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 one third of the blend was aged on French oak. The Cabernet Franc was aged in second- and third-fill 225 and 300 litre French oak barrels for 16 months. The Petit Verdot (from the 2018 vintage) was aged in second- and third-fill French oak barrels for 36 months.

## TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

Alcohol	Residual sugar
14.0	2.9
рН	Acidity
3.68	5.8

## **ATTRIBUTES**

