



**1659** SOUTH AFRICA

CLASSIC RED

*Special Edition*

ALCOHOL

13,5% Vol

RISIDUAL SUGAR

10 g/l

STYLE

Medium-bodied and fruit-driven.

VINIFICATION

Grapes came from Perdeberg in Agter-Paarl, Wellington and Franschhoek region. Standard fermentation with selective yeast was allowed, accompanied by pump-overs and punch-downs at optimum temperatures. Extended skin maceration, pressed and post-fermentation malolactic.

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Deep and ripe dark fruit aromas with subtle undertones of spice and vanilla.

WINE DESCRIPTION

The wine shows lovely aromas of violets and berries, giving it a pleasant fruit pastille character. The palate is soft, with a bit of sweetness in the finish and flavours of raspberry, plums and delicate spice.



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In 1659, Jan van Riebeeck and Maria de la Queillerie, then Governor of the Cape Colony, produced the first wine from vines that were planted in Wijnberg in Cape Town. Today we celebrate a rich and rewarding history of more than 350 years and continue to enjoy these magnificent wines from the fairest Cape of them all.

