

Meerlust 'Rubicon', Stellenbosch 2016

Product Images



Description

A Merlot and Cabernet blend, Rubicon is one of the Cape's leading claret-style wines. Complex, ripe, plummy flavours owe in part to cool afternoon breezes, a result of Meerlust being the closest Stellenbosch estate to the sea.

Additional Information

Producer	Meerlust
Type	Red
ABV	14.0%
Bottle Size	75 cl
Country	South Africa
Region	South Africa
Area	Coastal Region
Sub Area	Stellenbosch
Style	Full-bodied
Vintage	2016
Major Grape	Cabernet Sauvignon
Grapes	Bordeaux Lookalikes - 70% Cabernet Sauvignon, 20% Merlot, 10% Cabernet Franc
Drinking Guide	Drink or Keep
Food Match	Beef, Steak
Notes	Vegetarian
Press Reviews	Rubicon is an old classic, but in vintages such as 2016 – which have more merlot and cabernet franc in the blend – it takes on a lighter touch and revels in its sheer drinkability. A wonderfully complex and fruity Bordeaux-style wine. Will Lyons, The Sunday Times, 13th October 2019