



VRIESENHOF KALLISTA 2020

Bottling date: January 2023

Release date:

Tasting notes: Inky blue-black colour showing depth and concentration. The nose combines bright cassis aromas with classic cigar-box and forest floor notes. Fine-grained tannins provide a savoury element to the palate ensuring a long and pleasant finish.

Winemaker's notes: Situated on the foothills of Stellenbosch Mountain, Vriesenhof is recognized as one of the great terroirs of South Africa. Ancient river terraces and commanding mountain vistas provide the backdrop to our vines and beautiful hillside cellar. The Kallista blend embodies a lifetime of observation and wisdom accumulated amongst the vines and represents the very best expression of each vintage.

The components are vinified separately, and the blend is assembled after 12 months.

Varieties: Cabernet Sauvignon (54%), Cabernet Franc (29%) and Merlot (17%) all from Stellenbosch

Maturation: 1st 12 months in older (3rd & 4th fill) French oak and next 12 months in new French oak (50%) and 2nd fill French oak (50%)

Technical analysis:

Alcohol	14.22 %
Residual sugar	1.7 g/l
Total Acid	5.8 g/l
pH	3.47

Ageing potential: Drink now or keep for minimum 10 years.

Food suggestions: Hearty meat stews, steak and creamy cheese (brie and camembert)

Award: NA

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