



2021
great southern
CABERNETS

Blend	A blend of 80% Cabernet Sauvignon and 20% Cabernet Franc
Alc/Vol	14.0 %
Harvest Date	Cabernet Franc 24th March 2021 and Cabernet Sauvignon 6 th April 2021
Bottling Date	15th August 2022
pH	3.55
Titration Acidity	6.0 g/L
Colour	Deep red with vibrant hues.
Bouquet	Fruit notes of black currants and raspberries that are balanced by tobacco leaf characters and quality French oak.
Palate	<p>The entry into the palate is rich and generous with berry characters. These are framed by tobacco leaf characters and cedary French oak. The tannins are mid weighted and well-integrated, giving balance and savoriness. The finish is round and long.</p> <p>A good example of a cool climate cabernet blend from what was a consistent vintage in Western Australia. Enjoy with pasta and red meats over the next six to eight years.</p>
Winemaking	The fruit was machine harvested from our Wragg Road vineyard. The Cabernet Sauvignon and Cabernet Franc were fermented separately and blended just before bottling. The fruit was crushed and destemmed into a closed fermenter where it underwent 2-3 pump overs per day, for 16 days, until end of ferment. The ferment was pressed and allowed a light settle before being racked to new and seasoned French Oak for 15 months barrel maturation. 23% new oak.
Winemaker	Rob Diletti