

'Hauraki' 1999

cabernet sauvignon 67% merlot 20% cabernet franc 10% malbec 3%

Estate grown, produced and bottled.

Hauraki, our premium blend, was hand harvested over the first two weeks of April 1999 at optimum ripeness, and was then created through a process of traditional and new winemaking techniques.

This savoury complex medium bodied wine, starts showing hints of dried leaves, spiciness, cassis and leather notes on the nose, with a medium intensity. It is followed by fragrant oregano, thyme and lavender aromas. Soft melted tannins give a full mouth feeling, and combined with acidity on the front and slight bitterness on the end palate, give length and structure.

Aged in the winery cellar, it is not released until achieving the desired maturity.

Decant at least a half hour ahead of serving assists in opening up a fan of delightful flavours such as white orange peel, vanilla....

Hand harvested
Alcohol content
Titratable Acidity
Total sugar

13.0% (v/v)
6.0 (g/l)
<1 (g/l)



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