

OLD WINERY

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CABERNET
MERLOT
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2004

Tyrrell's first started to blend Cabernet Sauvignon with Merlot in the late 1970's. This wine sources these two noble red grape varieties from their best areas.

Each year, Tyrrell's winemakers search for the best parcels of these two noble grape varieties to create a soft, fruit driven wine that is universally popular.



TASTING NOTES

This wine displays a rich ruby colour. Ripe berry fruit and lifted spice are evident on the nose. Chocolate, cassis and blackberry fruit flavours on the palate are supported by a soft lingering tannin finish.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The 2004 Old Winery Cabernet Merlot is a blend of Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot. Long skin contact was experienced during fermentation for maximum flavour extraction and tannin balance. Twelve months maturation in a combination of new and 1-3 year old French and American barriques.

Region: South Eastern Australia

ALC 14.0% pH 3.42 TA 6.66

SERVING SUGGESTIONS

This Cabernet Merlot is ideal for drinking now and will be drinking at its best over the next four years. The versatile nature of this Cabernet Merlot makes it an ideal accompaniment to a variety of dishes – from traditional pastas, red meats and cheeses.

AWARDS

Old Winery Cabernet Merlot has been awarded 2 Trophies, 12 Gold, 29 Silver and 39 Bronze medals since its inception.

OTHER WINES IN THE RANGE

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- Old Winery Chardonnay • Old Winery Chardonnay Semillon • Old Winery Verdelho
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