



STETTYN
CELLAR

2015 Merlot

Wine of Origin: Worcester in the Stettyn valley, 33km south of Worcester on the R43 road.

Winemakers: Albie Treurnicht, JM Crafford

Vineyards: Supplementary irrigated trellised vines.

Harvested: March at an average of 25^o Balling.

Cellar treatment: Grapes were cold soaked over night. Inoculated with selected yeast and fermented at around 25 °Celsius. Malolactic fermentation finished in stainless steel tanks. Oak maturation includes French oak chips, staves and 2nd and 3rd fill barrels. All blended to perfection.

Tasting notes: The Merlot offers an array of cherries and raspberry flavours and subtle spicy floral notes on the palate. The aftertaste lingers with juicy flavours of abundant berries. An elegant and easy drinking wine to be enjoyed with pastas or light meat dishes.

Analysis: Alcohol – 13.70 %
Residual Sugar – 4.0 g/l
Total Acidity – 5.8 g/l
PH – 3.47