
CAPE MENTELLE CABERNET MERLOT 2012



THE WEST AUSTRALIAN WINE GUIDE 2014, RAY JORDAN

94 POINTS

“One of my favourite cabernet merlot blends. This one is showing classical lines of cigar box and leafy black fruits. Such a supple palate, yet one with tremendous depth and fruit intensity. Fine powdery tannins and nicely weighted oak balance the fruit perfectly. A very classy wine.”

THE WINE FRONT, GARY WALSH, AUGUST 2013

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“Perfume of bay leaf and gum leaf, nori, cocoa, mulberry, raspberry and blackcurrant. Medium bodied, fresh and vibrant, fine grained tannin with well etched acidity. Flavour? Not too much, nor too little. “Balance is my business”, says Trinders. Length good too. Textbook. Drinking well now and over the next ten or so years”

DECANTER, TOP 30 AUSTRALIAN REDS OF VINTAGE 2012 , UNDER £30, NICK STOCK

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“From a pioneering Margaret River producer, this has immediate appeal as well as capacity to age. Black cherry and red fruits meld with herbs and gravelly notes and the oak is spiced and integrated. The palate starts elegant and smooth, before surging with assertive yet supple tannic drive. Lots of flesh on the bone; a lovely wine.”

NB: THE AUSTRALIAN LABEL OF CAPE MENTELLE CABERNET MERLOT INCLUDES ‘TRINDERS’ ON THE LABEL . THE IDENTICAL WINE IN EXPORT MARKETS DOES NOT SHOW THE ‘TRINDERS’ MARKING ON THE LABEL. IT IS THE SAME WINE.

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