## **Keermont Estate Reserve Red Blend**

#### **Keermont Vineyards**

### South Africa - Western Cape - Coastal Region - Stellenbosch

The Keermont Estate Reserve is the winery's flagship red blend. With this blend they aim to bring to life the nuances of both the terroir at Keermont Vineyards and the particular vintage.

Venetian red in color, this wine exudes complex aromas of ripe cherry, wild berries, and dusty 'fynbos'. The palate has an array of ripe berries, cherry sherbet, crushed herbs and spices. Elegant but firm tannin affords the wine a long dry succulent finish.

# **Specifications**

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Appellation	Coastal Region - Stellenbosch
Varietals	36% Merlot, 27% Cabernet Sauvignon, 17% Cabernet Franc, 10% Malbec, 6% Syrah, 4% Petit Verdot
Soil type	deep red clay derived from sandstone & granite
Vinification	Small batches of grapes are specifically selected according to ripeness, harvested by hand and vinified separately. This process is carried out gently and naturally in open top fermenters using traditional methods only. This wine spent 22 months maturing in French oak barrels (20% new) before being bottled by hand without filtration. Bottle aged for 12 to 24 months before release.
Production	1,185 (9-liter cases)



#### **Reviews and News**

2014 Keermont Red Blend - 90 PTS - WA	
2014 Keermont Estate Reserve Red Blend - 93 PTS - VINOUS	
2013 Keermont Estate Reserve Red Blend - 92 PTS - VINOUS	
2013 Keermont Estate Reserve Red Blend - 92 PTS - IWR	
2012 Keermont Red Blend - 89+ PTS - TA	
2012 Keermont Red Blend - 89 PTS - WA	
2011 Keermont Red Blend - 93 PTS - eRobertparker.com	
2009 Keermont Red Blend - 93 PTS - eRobertParker.com	
2009 Keermont Red Blend - 91 PTS - IWC	
2009 Keermont Red Blend - 90 PTS - WS	