## **Keermont Merlot**

## **Keermont Vineyards**

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

Deep ruby red color. Ripe red fruit and liqueur cherry aromas are complimented by classic dusty herb and thatch notes. The palate is dense, but soft. The wine shows good weight with dusty savory fruit character. Chalky tannins and good natural acid help to maintain a fresh elegance and a long, succulent dry finish.

## Specifications

Appellation	Coastal Region - Stellenbosch
Varietals	86% Merlot, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon and 7% Malbec
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 20 months maturing in seasoned French oak barrels before being bottled by hand without filtration.
Pairings	Red meat, pasta and pizza.



Reviews and News	
2020 Keermont Merlot - 90 PTS - TA	
2019 Keermont Merlot - 91 PTS - TA	
2018 Keermont Merlot - 90 PTS - VINOUS	
2017 Keermont Merlot - 92 PTS - TA	
2016 Keermont Merlot - 90 PTS - WA	
2015 Keermont Merlot - 91 PTS - TA	
2014 Keermont Merlot - 87 PTS - VINOUS	