

# NITIDA

HANDMADE IS AN ATTITUDE

## MERLOT 2021



CULTIVAR:	MERLOT
VINTAGE:	2021
ALCOHOL:	14.82%
RESIDUAL SUGAR:	2.3G/L
TOTAL ACIDITY:	5.5G/L
PH:	3.58
PRODUCTION:	9 500 BOTTLES

## TASTING NOTES

Unexpectedly full-bodied and round, without any of the green bitterness that so often creeps into South African Merlot's. Red berry flavours gradually evolve into dark, rich plum with hints of musk making a subtle appearance.

Demands seared Wagyu steak with a red wine reduction and fondant potato.

NUTRITIONAL



INFORMATION

## WINEMAKER'S NOTES

Merlot does notoriously well in Durbanville, as the ripening period is long and the grapes have a chance to reach phenolical ripeness (where the pips are also ripe and don't carry any of that bitterness and unripe characteristics).

Our version of this popular wine is a little more serious, showing a more complex, robust character which contribute to its ageing potential.

### 2021

DOUBLE  
GOLD



2023

### 2020

4 ★  
GOOD  
VALUE



2023

DOUBLE  
GOLD



2022