

KLEIN CONSTANTIA

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KC Cabernet Merlot

Vintage	2009
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General	The KC range is made with the modern consumer in mind. Through the use of innovative production techniques and sourcing of high quality grapes from throughout the Cape Winelands we aim to make an approachable yet high quality wine which is ready to drink on purchase, yet will benefit from an additional few years of bottle maturation.
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Description	Aromas of ripe black berries and plums are complemented by subtle oak spice. The palate is dense, with fruit flavours balanced by well rounded, compact tannins and a lasting finish.
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Grape variety	Cabernet Sauvignon 65%, Merlot 35%
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Wine record	Fermentation and malolactic fermentation in stainless steel tanks and French oak barriques. Selected components were matured using micro-oxygenation techniques, whilst the remainders were barrel matured for a period of 24 months. Bottling took place in June 2010.
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Wine analysis:	
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Alcohol	14.65%
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Residual sugar	1.7g/l
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pH	3.7
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Total acid	5.4g/l
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Maturation	This wine will be best enjoyed before 2012
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