

# BORDERTOWN

VINEYARDS & ESTATE WINERY



## CABERNET MERLOT 2021

Cabernet Sauvignon is dominant in this blend, which offers a lifted nose of black fruits, tobacco leaf, stewed tomatoes, leather and dried herbs. The wine has a soft and smooth entry, medium-plus body, with good structure and chewy tannins. The palate echoes the nose with added bramble characteristics to go with blackcurrant and slight hints of pepper. This is a versatile Okanagan red wine that wraps up its flavour and texture sensations with a long elegant finish.

- Grapes:** 100% estate grown
- Vineyard Location:** Osoyoos, British Columbia
- Exposure:** East
- Varietals:** Cabernet Sauvignon 85%, Merlot 15%,
- Grape Yield:** 5.5 Tons/Acre
- Soil Composition:** Gravel with light colour sand and heavy soil
- Date of Harvest:** November 5, 2021
- Brix Level:** 24.5
- Fermentation:** Cultured yeast
- Duration:** 24 days
- Temperature:** Allowed to rise to a maximum of 30°C
- Malolactic Fermentation:** Natural, French oak
- Alcohol:** 14.0%
- Residual Sugar:** 2.36 g/l
- Maturation:** 12-18 months, in French oak
- Filtration:** Yes
- Production:** 132 cases
- Aging:** Cellar for up to 8 years
- Colour:** Dark red
- Nose:** Black fruits and blackcurrants
- Flavour:** Black and dark red fruits with a hint of pepper
- Serving Temperature:** 18°C
- Serving Suggestions:** Hearty rich dishes like grilled steak, roast beef, lamb chops, and dishes like mushroom risotto or Shepherd's Pie.

**Wholesale Price:** \$18.50

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