



TASTING NOTE

2019 GREAT WESTERN CABERNET SAUVIGNON

One of the greatest things about the Great Western wine region is its ability to successfully grow a broad range of grape varieties. Shiraz may be the regional hero, but Cabernet Sauvignon from the area can lay almost equal claim.

Best's Great Western Cabernet Sauvignon is a fine example of the Great Western Regional style, showing rich, plush, dense fruits.

TECHNICAL DETAILS

Region Great Western, Victoria

Grape Variety Cabernet Sauvignon

Alcohol 14.5%

Winemaker Justin Purser

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Colour Deep magenta with a bright purple hue.

Bouquet Typical aromas of cassis and blackcurrant are intertwined with woody notes of thyme, nutmeg and fresh tobacco leaf.

Palate Rich briary fruit flavours flow with the fine geometry of supple tannins and balancing acidity to give a long finish.

Cellaring This youthful wine is a great expression of the variety in Great Western. It is possible to enjoy this wine now with food, but it will soften and gain complexity over the next 5-20 years. It is the perfect accompaniment to a seared fillet steak with mushroom sauce.

Vintage A warm, dry growing season meant the vines ripened quickly and crops were lower than average. Sufficient water supply ensured the grapevines remained in good health and some February rain gave the vines a well-deserved drink and freshened them up before the grapes were harvested.



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REVIEWS

JAMES SUCKLING – September 2020

Aromas of red currants, blueberries, violets, and cedar sit fresh and lively with some lighter herbal threads. Fine and supple tannins deliver attractively fleshy blueberry and plum flavours. Impressive balance. Drink or hold.

Rating: 93 points

THE REAL REVIEW – September 2020

Garden mint, curing meat and ripe plum aromatics. Good black fruit drive and sits in the packet with dry earth, tobacco leaf and salted-blood savoury elements. Seamless in its flow, tannins well resolved, and slip of brightening acid just adds to its drinkability. Only medium bodied yet intense and focused. Lot of wine for the price. Drink now – 2030.

Rating: 94 points