



2013 KINGSTON ESTATE MERLOT

THE WINE

REGION

Limestone Coast

VARIETY

Merlot

COLOUR

Deep red with purple hues

BOUQUET

Raspberry fruit with a fresh violet fragrance, earthy overtones and underlying spicy oak characters.

PALATE

Medium to full bodied with juicy raspberry and plum fruit following through with a lifted floral spice finish. This wine shows excellent structure and length.

SERVING SUGGESTION

Enjoy with your favourite pasta, lamb casserole or roasted poultry.

CELLARING

Under ideal conditions will develop further flavour complexity to 5 years.



REGIONS

The diversity across South Australia's many wine regions ensures that each vintage, wines of very different styles can be produced from the same variety. The Kingston Estate range of single varietal wines are crafted to display distinctive varietal character through careful region selection. The best characteristics of one or more regions, often a combination of warm and cool climate, are matched and blended to provide the perfect synergy of regional definition and varietal integrity.

The cool climate **Limestone Coast** encompasses renowned Merlot producing regions such as Coonawarra and Padthaway and is known for producing red wines of excellent character.

WINEMAKING

Individual vineyard components were fermented separately in small static fermenters.

Small batch fermentation at controlled temperatures has seen a magnificent colour and flavour profile in this wine. Reducing the grape skin contact ensured this wine's finish is soft and flavoursome.

After fermentation, the parcels were racked with the final blend producing a fresh and approachable wine with distinctive Merlot fruit characteristics.

ANALYSIS

Alcohol:	13.5% Alc/Vol
Total Acid:	6.22g/L
pH:	3.43



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