



# DOMAINE NATURALISTE

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## Discovery Range 2017 Cabernet Sauvignon

A classic and unhindered expression of Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon, sculpted tannins and lifted red berry perfumes. A paragon of personality, purpose and approachability for those who enjoy soft tannins, succulent red fruits and simply love wine. Aromas of cassis, red cherries and bright red fruit underpinned by a seamless palate of raspberries, plum skin, bright red fruits and silky, textured tannin on the finish.

<b>Food matching</b>	Seared kangaroo kebabs   steak   hard cheese
<b>Variety</b>	Cabernet Sauvignon
<b>Maturation</b>	Seasoned French oak barriques for 12 months. Mainly from the Allier and Center of France forests.
<b>Winemaking</b>	The parcels of fruit were fermented and matured separately in French oak for a year. They were blended just before bottling based on a precise tasting profile.
<b>Cellaring Potential</b>	Up to 5 years, but delicious now.
<b>Harvested</b>	11 <sup>th</sup> April 2017
<b>Growing Season</b>	A long and gentle vintage weather pattern, slightly cooler than the long-term average. The fruit gained lovely perfumes and textures while maintaining a magnificent verve.
<b>Alcohol</b>	14.0%by Vol   8.3 Standard Drinks