



## **Windows Estate Petit Lot Cabernet Sauvignon**

The grapes for this wine come from the oldest vines on our property, which are planted in well drained loam over gravel and ironstone. Great care is taken to handle the fruit as gently as possible throughout all the processing stages. Handpicked in the early hours of the morning, the grapes are sorted, crushed and destemmed before being fermented in small open fermenters. The ferments are regularly plunged by hand ensuring optimum colour and tannin extraction, and the wine is given extended maceration once fermented dry. Basket pressed, matured in the finest quality French barriques for 18 months and rounded out by a small addition of Petit Verdot (3%) prior to bottling this is a smooth and stylish wine that displays all the hallmarks of a classic Margaret River Cabernet. A fuller bodied red, it is elegantly refined, with the nose showcasing cassis and black cherries. Despite its youth the tannins are perfectly ripe and the oak well integrated. With savoury notes, earthy undertones and a wonderfully long finish this is another strong vintage for our Cabernet, a wine of great subtlety and complexity that will reward careful cellaring for 15+ years.

Producer: Windows Estate

Winemaker: Chris & Jo Davies

Country of Origin: Australia

Region of Origin: Margaret River

Grapes: 97% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Petit Verdot

ABV: 14.0%

Closure Type: screwcap

