



MILLBROOK
Winery

WINE	Millbrook Cabernet Sauvignon Malbec		
VINTAGE	2010		
REGION	Margaret River	100%	
VARIETIES	Cabernet Sauvignon	80%	
	Malbec	20%	

VINTAGE NOTES

The 2010 growing season was excellent for reds with concentrated flavours in smaller berries. The Cabernet Sauvignon and Malbec were sourced from the 20-year-old Abbey Vale vineyard near Dunsborough (Margaret River region).

The fruit was destemmed to a small open fermenter and fermentation was 14 days with twice daily plunging of the skins. After pressing, the wine was lightly racked to 30% new and 70% one-year-old French oak for 18 months.

ANALYSIS

Alcohol 14.0%, pH 3.5, TA 6.4 g/L

TASTING NOTES

Colour	Bright, deep ruby red.
Aroma	Intense ripe blackcurrant, red berry with spicy oak undertones. There is an underlying bay leaf aroma interwoven with vanillin oak.
Palate	Dry, super fine tannins which are ripe and well structured. The black fruit is sumptuous and lingers on the palate and is aptly supported by the French oak. The wine is full-bodied, tightly knit and possesses mid-palate richness which is the result of the Malbec component in the blend.

CELLARING

Potential to age for up to 10 years.

SHOW SUCCESS

Bronze Qantas Wine Show of WA, Mt Barker 2011

