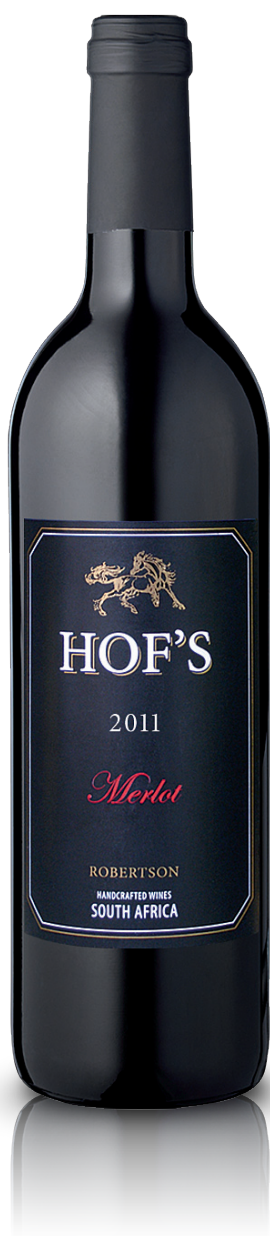




HOF'S
HANDCRAFTED WINES

Merlot 2011

A beautifully complex and balanced Merlot, showing a lively bouquet of plums and hints of mint on the nose. The colour is natural red due to minimal filtration.



APPELLATION
Robertson



GRAPES
100% Merlot



ALCOHOL LEVEL
14% vol.



BOTTLE SIZE
750 ml

TYPE OF SOIL

Rocky soil next to the Langeberg mountain range at an altitude of 350 meters located against a south facing slope.

TRAINING SYSTEM

Four strand hedge. The vines were planted in 1999.

PLANT DENSITY

3200 vines per hectare.

YIELD

7 tons per hectare.

VINIFICATION AND AGEING

Hand selection of grapes. 4 days maceration before fermentation at 24.5 degrees average. Matured in third fill French oak for 12 months.