



## Darling Cellars Sir Charles 2021

main variety Cabernet Sauvignon

vintage 2021

analysis alc: 14.89 | ph: 3.63 | rs: 3.44 | ta: 5.97 | ts02: 40 | fs02: 150

type Red

producer Darling Cellars

style Dry

winemaker André Scriven & Maggie Immelman

taste Fruity

wine of Darling

body Full

### tasting notes

A deep and complex wine with layers of black fruit, cedar, red plums, liquorice, chocolate and tobacco. Smooth and silky but structured with a long lingering finish.

### blend information

83% Cabernet Sauvignon, 17% Merlot

### food suggestions

Enjoy with roast beef, slow roast leg of lamb flavoured, beef tenderloin with roasted shallots.

### in the vineyard

Our farmers grow grapes on dry-land and deep-rooted bush vines. The wines reflect the ancient soils and coastal proximity for which the Darling region is so well known. In this individually crafted range, every wine tells its story.

The climate, terroir and viticulture result wine rich in flavour but with soft tannins. Come harvest time, ripening is carefully monitored for optimal ripeness and grapes are hand harvested.

### about the harvest

The grapes are harvested from dry land (un-irrigated) bush vines, planted on deep-red decomposed granite soils ideal for the retention of natural moisture.

### in the cellar

Cold soaked for 2 days and then fermented in open tanks with a combination of pump overs and punch downs. Alcoholic fermentation is finished on the skins with extended skin contact. Aged for 18 months in a combination of French and American oak barrels to perfect this wine.