

Penfolds

BIN 407

CABERNET SAUVIGNON 1995

Launched with the 1990 vintage the Bin 407 reflects Penfolds' aim to produce a premium Cabernet that is at once more affordable and more widely available than the Bin 707. This has been made possible as more premium Cabernet vineyards have come into bearing.

The resulting style of wine has proven to be quite different from Bin 707. Bin 407 shows more varietal characters of blackcurrant, mint, leafy overtones and subtle oak.



VINEYARD REGION	Predominantly Padthaway and Coonawarra with small parcels from the Barossa and McLaren Vale.
VINTAGE CONDITIONS	-
GRAPE VARIETY	Cabernet Sauvignon
MATURATION	Matured over a 12 month period in new (20%) and older American and French oak.
WINE ANALYSIS	Alc/Vol: 13.00% Acidity: 6.70g/L pH: 3.43
LAST TASTED	27-Jul-04
PEAK DRINKING	Now - 2004
FOOD MATCHES	Ideally suited to Lamb, Cheese

Winemaker comments by
John Duval

COLOUR Plum red.

NOSE Pristine Cabernet Sauvignon aromas of tobacco leaf, cedar and capsicum are deftly supported by French and American oak.

PALATE Full-bodied, the wine is again true to its variety with leafy blackcurrant characters and well-integrated vanillin oak. Firm tannins, good grip.