

## Peccavi The Estate Merlot

COUNTRY	REGION	GRAPE	VINTAGE
Australia	Western Australia	100% Merlot (Clone 181)	2018

### ABOUT THE DOMAINE

Peccavi is a small boutique vineyard located in Western Australia, in the 'sweet spot' sub-region of the Yallingup ridge, in the north of the Margaret River region. All the Peccavi Wines are estate grown, handpicked, handcrafted and see only the finest French oak. Peccavi is notably one of the first Australian vineyards to have the same new clones being used by the greatest Estates of Bordeaux. The Estates viticulture practices encourage vine roots to dive deep into ancient granite, ultimately concentrating flavours in the fruit and adding natural mineral characters to the finished wines. Today, owner and founder of Peccavi wines, Jeremy Muller, produces wines which offer beautiful structure, balance and aroma complexity throughout a range of whites and reds.

### WINEMAKING

'The Estate' wines are made on site at Peccavi using the world's best equipment for small batch winemaking. After being hand-picked in the early morning, destemmed and hand sorted at a meticulous quarter ton an hour. Open top stainless steel vat and concrete egg fermented hand plunged every 6 hours then matured in 100% French oak, 60% new, sourced from St Emilion and Pomerol, for 21 months.

### TASTING NOTES

This Merlot offers aromas of black cherries and chocolate with hints of oak and dried herbs. Full to medium-bodied wine, it provides a long, elegant and silky texture with deep flavours of plums, berries, oak and earthy herbs.



### TECHNICAL NOTES

**Alcohol by volume**  
14%