

## CAN VENDRELL CABERNET SAUVIGNON/TEMPRANILLO

**Vintage:** 2006  
**Appellation:** Penedès, Spain  
**Varietals:** 57% Cabernet Sauvignon  
43% Tempranillo  
**Alcohol:** 13%  
**Sulfites:** 43 ppm  
**Winemaker:** Josep M. Albet i Noya

**Organic Certificate:** Grapes and facilities have been certified by USDA Accredited Consell Català de la Producció Agrària Ecològica (Spain) and are compliant with the National Organic Program (NOP) of the USDA.



**Viticulture:** The end of the summer is harvest time: an intense period of work which lasts to the middle of October when the grapes are picked with gentle care from dawn to dusk. The hand-harvested grapes—no harvesting machines at Can Vendrell—are taken in small panniers to a narrow, shallow trailer ensuring that the fruit arrives safely with no danger of crushing. At the cellar, the aromatic cargo is loaded into the stainless steel chute which will take the grapes with its infinite spiral down to the cellar where they will be immersed in a lengthy process which will end only when the alchemy has transformed the grapes into wine.  
Estate Bottled

**Notes:** Unoaked. Bright and lively aromas of cherry and spice on the nose. The palate integrates earthy, spicy elements with red berry fruits and expressions of violets and cinnamon. Pairing suggestions: spinach empanadas, spicy paella or grilled pork chops.



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