



# 2020 Cabernet Franc

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Alcohol label %: 14.8

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## Growing Conditions

Vineyards: Conner Lee, Solaksen

Gård Vintners is 100% estate grown sustainably at Lawrence Vineyards in the Royal Slope AVA. Lawrence Vineyards features seven distinct vineyard sites with elevations ranging 930 feet to 1,675 feet. The combination of elevation and south-facing slope provides a great framework for grape production, while the diversity of the seven locations delivers a high level of complexity to Gård wines. Lawrence Vineyards is certified sustainable.

## Nose

Ripe plum, dark cherry, bay leaf, pencil shavings, and menthol. Swirling brings fig paste, blackberry confiture, green peppercorn, and dried herbs.

## Palate

The mouthfeel is rich and layered, with dark fruit, oak and baking spices, hints of milk chocolate, cardamom, and orange peel. Very layered, with soft texture and beautiful acidity, the tannins here are almost powdery, and the wine finishes remarkably long, with a touch of pyrazine greenness, molasses, and oak spice. Enjoy now or in the next 15 years.

## Food Pairing

Cornish game hen, grilled lamb, gorgonzola burger, black beluga lentil salad, asparagus