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Double Take

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HOWARD PARK ABERCROMBIE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2007

MATTINSON

“Howard Park’s Abercrombie Cabernet Sauvignon (formerly known as Howard Park cabernet) has a track record as a stately, ageworthy wine. Seemed fitting that it be our 10,000th review. This release is a subdued, elegant, structured wine built to be cellared. It tastes of blackcurrant, violets, chocolate and mint and the more you taste it the more it seems defined by the braid of its tannin. It extends right through the wine, and right out through the finish. Impeccable balance. All the components in place. I’d expect to rate this higher in time (which is exactly what it needs).”

WALSH

“...opened with a distinct peppery note, some nougat and cedar oak, mint and black fruits – it struck me as an atypical flavour profile for Howard Park. It has strong, but very attractive tannins, and yes, the balance and length are both excellent...Like Mattinson says, it’s not a wine for now, but most likely a good one for the future.”



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