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90% Cabernet Sauvignon, 10% Cabernet Franc and Petite Sirah. Aged 30 months in 100% new French oak. RS 2.8 g/l. From a single vineyard 790 m above sea level.

Smells like a greenhouse on a warm day: tomato vine, lily scent, fresh leaves, garden humus. And then, after a while, a tiny bit of brett – nothing that doesn't work, however. Red fruit and very spicy. Lots of cigar here – more cigar than cigar smoke. Lovely on the mid palate although the tannins somewhat dominate and dry out the finish. (TC)

Producer	Benhaim
Cuvée	Mount Meron Grande Reserve
Grape variety	<u>Cabernet Sauvignon</u>
Appellation	Upper Galilee
Region	Israel
Country	<u>Israel</u>
Colour	Red
Alcohol	14.1%
Score	16.5
When to drink	2014 – 2019
Published on	25 Aug 2016
Date tasted	22 Apr 2016

Reviewer

Tamlyn Currin