

2015
XANADU DJL
CABERNET SAUVIGNON

REVIEWS



92 Points
Huon Hooke

The Real Review, April 2018

Deep red/purple colour with a cassis, and blueberry fruit-driven bouquet; some pencil shavings oak and dusty, earthy notes and a full-bodied palate, with again very savoury flavours and drying powdery tannins. A touch of heat and astringency at the finish.

92 Points
Campbell Mattinson

The Wine Front, April 2018

94% Margaret River Cabernet Sauvignon, 6% petit Verdot, 30% new oak. This is pretty much as you'd hope and expect it to be. Curranty, firm-ish, dry, whispered with bay leaf notes, laced with milk chocolate. It has enough flavour and good length, feels/tastes both varietal and regional at every step, and will drink well both in its youth and well into the medium term.

90 Points
Josh Reynolds

Vinous, October 2017

Vivid ruby. Ripe cherry and dark berry scents, along with hints of cracked pepper and mocha. Juicy and focused on the palate, offering nicely concentrated dark fruit and spicecake flavours that deepen slowly and pick up a smoky nuance on the back half. Dusty tannins build slowly on the long, spice-laced finish, which leaves behind a suggestion of bitter cherry.

