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Solid class of wines. A few showed premature ageing or excess alcohol, however most had an excellent balance of oak and well-retained fruit. Some of the '06s were still young and yet to show their true colours!

Xabregas Mount Barker Cabernet Merlot 2005 ★★★

Aged earthy, leathery bouquet. Hct, bold palate with spicy, leafy, green cabernet flavours. \$14.99