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WINES OF CHARACTER

STELLENBOSCH

GRENACHE 2021

VINIFICATION

Wine maker description	An elegant medium-bodied Grenache noir styled for lovers of lighter reds. Fresh and floral on the nose with herbal notes of mint, rosemary and hints of dark chocolate. Vibrant cranberry and raspberry fruits combine with an iron-rich minerality to dominate the palate. Wine with rolling red fruit pastille notes and a long lingering finish. Perfect for summer drinking.
Varieties	100% Grenache noir
Origin	Wine of Origin Stellenbosch
Vinification details	The grapes were cold soaked for 4 days prior to fermentation. During fermentation the temperatures were kept at between 22-28°C. Malo-lactic took place in tank, on French oak staves before being matured in 60/40% French and American 225l oak barrels for 12-14 months.
Date of bottling	12 September 2024
Analysis	pH 3.53 Total acidity 5.2 g/l Residual sugar 1.4 g/l Alcohol 13 %

PROVENANCE

Vineyard – Da Capo, Sir Lowry's Pass, Helderberg

Soils	Granite/Tukulu (decomposed granite)/Table Mountain Sandstone
Aspect	Northwest
Area	0.18 Hectares
Trellising	Vertical Shoot Positioning
Irrigation	Drip
Predominant wind	SE Summer/NW Winter
Date of planting	2011
Clones	GN70C
Balling at picking	23.7°B

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