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WINES OF CHARACTER

STELLENBOSCH

GRENACHE 2020

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

21 September 2023

Analysis

pH 3.59

Residual sugar 1.6 g/l

Total acidity 5.2 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

