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WINES OF CHARACTER

STELLENBOSCH

## 900 SERIES BARBERA 2015

### VINIFICATION

Wine maker  
description

A rich and refreshing Barbera from low yielding Stellenbosch vineyards. Deep purple in appearance. This distinguished wine exhibits typical varietal aromas of black cherry, fruit pastille and roasted coffee beans enhanced by delicate hints of sweet floral notes. Complexity, harmony and great depth are hallmarks of this exceptional vintage. A memorable 900 Series wine with an explosive mid palate and long lingering finish.

Varieties

100 % Barbera

Origin

Wine of Origin Stellenbosch

Vinification details

Grapes were cold soaked for 3-4 days prior to being crushed and fermented at optimal temperatures, after which it was pressed and did Malo-Latic fermentation in 225L American and French oak barrels. The wine was then matured for 24 months before being lightly fined and filtered before bottling.

Date of bottling

4<sup>th</sup> February 2015

Analysis

pH 3.38  
Residual sugar 2.8 g/l

Total acidity 7.3 g/l  
Alcohol 14%

### PROVENANCE

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

Soils

Granite/Tukulu (decomposed granite)/Table  
Mountain Sandstone

Aspect

North west

Area

1 Ha

Trellising

Vertical Shoot Positioning

Irrigation

Drip

Predominant wind

SE Summer/NW Winter

Date of planting

February 2006

Clones

BB1

Balling at picking

24.4 °B

