

## Hartenberg Cabernet Sauvignon 2003

*John Platter 2006 SA Wine Guide:*

“Tighter knit and more focussed than the 02, with much longer potential – 10 years. Flavour in abundance, dark fruit, cigar-box and white pepper. Accessible beyond the firmness, still an infant.”

**variety :** Cabernet Sauvignon | Cabernet Sauvignon

**winery :** Hartenberg Estate

**winemaker :** Carl Schultz

**wine of origin :** Stellenbosch

**analysis :** alc : 14.0 % vol    rs : 2.3 g/l    pH : 3.5    ta : 6.3 g/l

**type :** Red    **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle

4 Stars John Platter SA Wine Guide 2006

Veritas Gold Medal 2005

**in the vineyard :** Average age of vines: 14 years

Number of clones: 3

Vineyards: 7 blocks totalling 14.43 hectares

Planting density: 3,300 vines per hectare

Soil types: Deep red Hutton and Avalon Soils

Vintage: 2003 was an excellent vintage with hot, dry weather resulting in small berries and concentrated, structured reds as a result.

**about the harvest:** Harvest date: 11 March to 9 April (8 different days)

(2002: Between 26 February to 8 April (8 different days)

(2001: Between 21st March and 19 April (7 different days)



### Hartenberg Estate

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