

## Hercules Paragon Merlot 1998

Mahogany; ruby-garnet rim. Bouquet showing fruit, chocolate, leather, cigar, complex cassis and ripe blackcurrant, much of which repeats on the palate. Good balance, supple tannins...a classy wine.

**variety** : Merlot | Merlot

**winery** : Simonsvlei Winery

**winemaker** : Philip Louw

**wine of origin** : Coastal

**analysis** : **alc** : 12.62 % vol   **rs** : 2.24 g/l   **pH** : 3.71   **ta** : 5.19 g/l

**type** : Red

**ageing** : Drink now or within 4 to 6 years.

**in the cellar** : Awards:

Silver Veritas 2000 Award

