

## Stellenzicht Thunderstone Red 2019

Delicate perfume and intricate aromatics. Prominent red berry fruits, cherries and savory spices. The palate is medium-bodied brimming with freshness and juicy red fruits. Hints of sweet spice and lacy tannins gives this wine a soft finish.

**variety :** Cinsaut | 40% Cinsaut, 30% Syrah, 30% Cabernet Sauvignon

**winery :** Stellenzicht Wines

**winemaker :** L'Re Hughes

**wine of origin :** Coastal Region

**analysis :** alc : 13.67 % vol   rs : 2.33 g/l   pH : 3.69   ta : 5.77 g/l

**type :** Red   **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle   **size :** 750ml   **closure :** Cork

2023 Tim Atkin SA Special Report - 90 Points

2023 Prescient Signature Red Blend Report - 91 Points

2023 Decanter Awards - Bronze

2023 Gilbert & Gaillard - 89 Points

**about the harvest:** The grapes are hand harvested in the morning.

**in the cellar :** Approximately 30% of the Shiraz grapes are either whole bunch fermented or co-fermented with some added whole bunches. During the 7-10 days of fermentation the wines are pumped over three times a day. Some of the grapes receive extended skin contact after fermentation before it is pressed and racked to barrel. The wine is matured in French oak barrels for up to 18 months, before blending and bottling.



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