

Flagstone Writers Block Pinotage 2021

On the nose a wonderful, balancing of ripe, dark red fruit like mulberry and blackberry, with mocha chocolate and Indian spice, underpinned by a bewitching hint of bramble and mint. The palate is surprisingly rich, beautifully balanced and gives the impression of being elegant and powerful at the same time. Flavours of very ripe strawberry, cherry and darker blackberry are wrapped up in soft, comforting oak hints and a caress of vanilla and dark chocolate. Really long and luscious.

Pinotage is versatile enough to pair across a huge spectrum of dishes from braai'd Springbok fillet, spicy lamb stew and even Indian curries.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery : Flagstone Wines

winemaker : Gerhard Swart

wine of origin : Breedekloof

analysis : alc : 14.83 % vol rs : 3.54 g/l pH : 3.54 ta : 5.6 g/l

type : Red **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Fruity **wooded**

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

2025 Fine Wine Awards - Silver

2024 Absa Top 10 Pinotage - Top 10 winner

2024 Prescient Pinotage Report - 93 Points

2024 IWSC - Gold

2024 Veritas Awards - Double Gold

ageing : 3 - 5 years

At Flagstone we aim to make wine that respects our 350 year old winemaking heritage, while always celebrating the magnificence of nature. We want to make gorgeous wines that stimulate your brain as much as they please your taste buds.

in the vineyard : Our Writer's Block Pinotage is crafted from a single vineyard block high in the Waaihoek Mountains, above the sweeping Breedekloof valley, an hour and a half's drive north of Cape Town. This is the highest vineyard in the area, planted in ancient, decomposed granitic soil. We believe we've found an exceptional vineyard block for Writer's Block. Everything about this site is special: the combination of soil, slope, climate, aspect and grape variety works brilliantly.

in the cellar : Fermentation: Barrel Fermented and matured in 80% American and 20% French oak.



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