

#### PRODUCT INFORMATION

Paulina's Reserve Cinsault 2022 100% Cinsault Paarl

#### FOOD SUGGESTIONS

Pan-fried dumplings with Asian dipping sauce. Seared Tuna with creamy mash.

#### **AWARDS & ACCOLADES**

5 stars John Platter Wine Guide 2023 90 Points – Tim Atkin Report 2022 91 Points – Vinous Neal Martin 2022 90 Points – Decanter Awards 2022 4½ stars John Platter Wine Guide 2022 94 Points - Christian Eedes 2021 Michelangelo Awards 2021 – Double Gold Medal Double Gold - Veritas 2023

# PAULINA'S RESERVE CINSAULT 2022

### HARVEST PROCESS

The grapes come from a farm in Paarl, called Otterkuil. The 2.65ha bush vine vineyard was planted in 1954 and is certified with the Old Vine Project.

### WINEMAKING

The grapes were destemmed and kept as whole berries. A portion of the stems were left outside in the sun to dry for 5 days and then it was added back into the tank. The dried-out stem's ads perfumed aromatics and texture to the wine. Punch downs took place twice daily. Maturation took place in ceramic Amphora & old French oak barrels.

### WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The nose shows subtle notes of cherry, red currant, rose and fynbos while the palate has lovely fruit integrity and flavour intensity without being weighty. It's a wonderfully balanced wine with bright acidity and fine, powdery tannins.

## **TECHNICAL ANALYSIS**

Alc.12.63% RS 2.2 g/l TA 5.7 g/l pH 3.52

Tradition with a touch of modernity

SERVE AT 15° TO 17°