



**GLENWOOD**  
*Fine Wines From Franschhoek*



# Grand Duc Syrah 2022

**Viticulture:** Vine age: 28 years  
Density: 2645 vines per hectare  
Yield: 10.0 tons per hectare  
The only Shiraz vineyard on GlenWood finally achieved the desired balance to produce premium quality grapes. Well balanced growth delivers even ripeness and beautiful structure.

**Vinification:** Only the best grapes were picked at 23.8°B and 50% whole bunch fermented in small open-top fermenters. Punched down by hand 3 times daily until fermented dry. Grapes were gravity fed to press. After pressing, the wine underwent natural malolactic fermentation in barrel. Wine was matured for 24 months in a selection of new premium French and American oak barrels.

**Analysis:**

Alcohol	13.5%
Total Acidity	5.6 g/l
Residual Sugar	2.9 g/l
pH	3.71

**Winemaker's Comments:** Deep garnet in colour. Dark berry fruit and violets on the spicy nose. Very soft tannins on the velvety palate with dark fruit and spice following from the nose. Elegant and rich. Layered and complex. Drink through 2030.

**Production:** 1300 750ml bottles

**Awards:**

- 93 points – Gilbert & Gaillard International Challenge 2023

**Previous vintage awards:**

- 4.5\* Platter 2023 edition
- 92 points – Tim Atkin 2020 report
- Gold – Mundus Vini Awards 2020