

## BOEKENHOUTSKLOOF THE CHOCOLATE BLOCK 2021





Original price was: \$67.99.\$59.99Current price is: \$59.99.

Product Code:	8465	Closure:	Cork
Country:	South Africa	Unit:	Each
Region:	Swartland	Volume:	750ml
Style:	Red	Alcohol:	14.6%
Variety:	Grenache Blend / GSM	Grape:	74% Syrah, 10% Grenache, 8% Cinsault, 7% Cabernet Sauvignon, 1% Viognier
		Natural:	Vegan Friendly



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## TASTING NOTES

## Winery notes (2021 Vintage)

"The Chocolate Block 2021 marks our 20th vintage of this iconic wine. Intense blackberry, bramble, and lavender aromas with gentle nuances of potting soil and cured meat dominate a dark and brooding nose. The abundance of perfume and the earthy character of the nose follows through generously onto a powerful palate, with a lush compote of blueberries, ripe plums, black currants & cherries. Cacao-powdery tannins are abundant, adding texture and complexity to an almost savoury mid-palate, seamlessly complementing the vivid dark fruits, alcohol and acidity. This is a robust, structured wine, yet it is delicate, poised and elegant at the same time. Black fruits, cumin spice, white pepper, liquorice and hints of garrigue persist on a velvety finish."

Reviews for the previous vintage below...

93/100 Sarah Ahmed, Decanter (2020 Vintage)



"Smoulders with smoked meat, fennel sausage, smooth dark chocolate and Kahlúa-nuanced blackcurrant, plus sweet, bright, red cherry conserve. Lightly mouth-coating tannins (attractive grip and texture) reinforce the dry, rustic, savoury profile. Sourced predominantly from Boekenhoutskloof's Porseleinberg and Goldmine farms in Swartland. Syrah and Cinsault are aged in seasoned 2,500-litre French oak foudres and barriques; Grenache in seasoned 600-litre demi-muids and Cabernet Sauvignon (7%) in new French oak barrique. Total production of 2,982 barriques. Satisfying."

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