

HOUGHTON STRIPE CABERNET SAUVIGNON 2006



BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Houghton is Western Australia's most awarded winery. Established in 1836, and is the third oldest winery in Australia.

Houghton sources the finest fruit from vineyards in all premium viticultural areas across Western Australia, to craft exceptional wines that truly reflect their regional origins.

TASTING NOTES

Full flavoured, round with lots of cassis and dark plum and a hint of cigar box. The palate is well balanced with soft tannins and just a touch of oak to give complexity.

This is a wine that needs no cellaring to see it at its best but will gain complexity if carefully cellared for 2-3 years.

WINEMAKER'S NOTES

The 2006 vintage was the coolest and latest vintage in living memory. This meant that all varieties grew and ripened in true cool climate conditions. Slow development of flavours enabled the fruit to exhibit richness and fineness not seen for many years.

FOOD SUGGESTION

Enjoy with BBQ meat, grilled lamb or simply on its own.

VINTAGE 2006

GROWING AREAS

Western Australia

GRAPE VARIETY

Cabernet Sauvignon

WINEMAKER

Rob Bowen

ALCOHOL 13.39%

pH 3.6

ACIDITY 5.66 g/litre



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