



HOUSE OF TOWNEND

FAMILY WINE MERCHANTS SINCE 1906

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## Hamilton Russell Pinot Noir 2022

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<b>Price</b>	£44.95
<b>Code</b>	HAM075

One of the leading producers in South Africa. The primal character of the Pinot Noir is on show in this impressive Hamilton Russell masterpiece. Soft, sweet, perfumed with a earthy undertone. You need to try it!

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### Tasting Notes:

On the nose stewed plums, cherry skin and blackberry. On the palate the fruit is less apparent. Earth, mushroom and anise join the bouquet. Very moreish.

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Specification	
Vinification	The vines are planted on stony, shale and clay rich soil with low vigour. Cool maritime climate producing naturally small yields. Matured for 10 months in 228 litre French Oak.
ABV	13.5%
Size	75cl
Drinking Window	Drink now
Country	South Africa
Region	Hemel-en-Aarde Valley
Type	Red Wine
Grapes	Pinot Noir
Genres	Fine Wine, Vegan, Vegetarian
Vintage	2022
Body	Elegant, refined and supple
Producer	Hamilton Russell Vineyards
Producer Overview	One of the most southerly wine Estates in Africa, this Pinot Noir and Chardonnay specialist pioneered viticulture in the beautiful, cool, maritime, Hemel-en-Aarde Valley appellation behind the old fishing village of Hermanus. Founder, Tim Hamilton Russell, purchased the undeveloped 170 hectare property in 1975, after an exhaustive search for the most southerly site on which to make South Africa's top cool climate wines from a selection of noble varieties.
Closure Type	Cork
Food Matches	Drink with Venison / Lamb or Ostrich burgers!