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TOP TEN SOUTH AFRICAN RED WINE VALUES UNDER \$20



As we noted in our recent Special Report on [South African Value Wines](#), South Africa produces inexpensive wines of very good quality. Here we list our favorite red wine values—wines priced under \$20 showing an especially high ratio of quality to price. Perhaps not surprisingly, South Africa's unique red wine grape—Pinotage—accounts for fully half of the list, including a spectacular specimen from Warwick. As we noted in an earlier [article](#), the producer Citrusdale appears to be an up and coming star in South African value wines. Also, see our earlier article on [South African White Wine Values Under \\$20](#).

Warwick 2008 Pinotage Old Bush Vines Stellenbosch (\$17) 92+

Wildeckrans 2007 Cabernet Franc Merlot Walker Bay (\$15) 91

Fleur du Cap 2010 Pinotage Bergkelder Selection Stellenbosch (\$13) 90

Riebeek Cellars 2010 Pinotage Swartland (\$10) 89

Spier 2010 Pinotage Signature Series Western Cape (\$12) 89

Citrusdale Wines 2009 Six Hats Shiraz Western Cape (\$10) 89

H.M.S. Rattlesnake 2009 Red Table Wine Western Cape (\$10) 88

La Capra 2009 Shiraz Coastal Region (\$11) 88

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Citrusdale Wines 2010 Six Hats Cabernet Sauvignon Western Cape (\$10) 87

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