

Swartland Pinotage

Full overripe red plum with supporting boiled sweets to add to complexity. Full structure on palate with acid complimenting fruit.

variety : Pinotage | Pinotage

winery : Swartland Winery

winemaker : Andries Blake

wine of origin : Swartland

analysis : alc : 13.9 % vol rs : 3 g/l pH : 3.69 ta : 5.52 g/l so2 : 44 mg/l fso2 : 38 mg/l

type : Red

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

ageing : 3 to 5 years

in the vineyard : Soil: Grown on a wide variety of soil best suited for Pinotage, mostly deep hutton types. All vineyards are unirrigated bush vines.

Climate: The Swartland falls within the coastal winter rainfall area. Warm, dry summers, moderated by cool Atlantic breezes.

Annual rainfall: 400mm average.

about the harvest: Pinotage comes from all over the Swartland. Grapes are picked between 22-25° Balling.

