

## Ashton Kelder Red Muscadel 2007

Copper-red hues combine with the fresh Muscat fruit, toffee characters and zingy acidic tang, to form this rich but refreshing wine. It leaves you with orange peel and a touch of cayenne spice in farewell.

This wine offsets the richness of a dark chocolate mousse.

**variety :** Muscat d'Alexandrie | 100% Muscat d'Alexandrie

**winery :** Ashton Winery

**winemaker :** Philip Louw

**wine of origin :** Robertson

**analysis :** alc : 17.5 % vol    rs : 183.2 g/l    pH : 4.06    ta : 2.7 g/l

**type :** Fortified    **style :** Sweet

**pack :** Bottle    **closure :** Cork

**in the vineyard :** Area planted: 15 ha

**Age of vines:** 15+ years

**Rootstock:** Varies

**Clone:** Varies

**Trellis system:** 5 Wire Perold

**Irrigation:** Drip

**Vine density:** 2.7 x 1.5

**Soil:** Karoo Gravel

**Climate:** Warm summer and cold winter

**about the harvest:** Date: March

**Type:** Hand

**Yield:** 18 ton/ha

