

Avondale Rose 2009

A magnitude of fruit aromas arrest you, jump at you and takes over your nose. They are sweet Muscat flavours of rose petal and potpourri, with complex and interesting Mourvedre flavours following. This adds complexity to the palate. The wine appears sweet, yet it finishes completely dry.

variety : Muscat de Frontignan | 80% Muscat de Frontignan, 10% Mourvedre

winery : Avondale Farm

winemaker : Corne Marais

wine of origin : Paarl

analysis : alc : 12.5 % vol rs : 3.8 g/l pH : 3.43 ta : 5.6 g/l

type : Rose **style :** Dry **taste :** Fruity **organic**

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

ageing :

The wine has the potential for aging for another three years, but if you can wait you are better than our winemaker! This is a beautiful wine for everyday enjoyment.

in the vineyard : Vineyards: 21 year old vines, cultivated organically and certified in September 2009. These old vines give us intense flavours (not that this varietal needs any help) and a low yield.

Viticulturist: Johnathan Grieve

Yield: 4 tons per hectare

about the harvest: The grapes were picked at between 23 and 24° Balling.

