

## Ernie Els Big Easy 2009

Brightly tinted with a purple edge, the Ernie Els Big Easy glistens in the glass from the superlative 2009 vintage. There is a vivid display of complexity with layered cinnamon, fynbos, liquorice and sappy red berry fruit. The strong Shiraz and Grenache component adds spiciness in amongst the melange of varieties which include a splash of perfumed Viognier. There is excellent balance between the crystalline acidity and a creamy textured finish.

**variety** : Shiraz | 52% Shiraz, 25% Cabernet Sauvignon, 11% Mourvedre, 9% Grenache, 3% Viognier

**winery** : Ernie Els Wines

**winemaker** : Louis Strydom

**wine of origin** : Stellenbosch

**analysis** : **alc** : 14,5 % vol **rs** : 3.7 g/l **pH** : 3.62 **ta** : 5.5 g/l **va** : 0.66 g/l **so2** : 75 mg/l **fso2** : 36 mg/l

**type** : Red **body** : Light **wooded**

**pack** : Bottle **size** : 750ml **closure** : Cork

**ageing** : Exotic and energetic now, it will improve with half a decade in the cellar.

