

## Kloovenburg Pinotage 1998

### Sold Out

Garnet red in colour. Bouquet suggests berry jam fruit and chocolate topped with a layer of spice. The palate is smooth, rounded and gently sweet ending on a spicy/peppery note.

variety : Pinotage | Pinotage

winery : Kloovenburg

winemaker : Pieter du Toit

wine of origin : Swartland

analysis : alc : 12.0 % vol   rs : 2.4 g/l   pH : 3.69   ta : 5.6 g/l

type : Red

pack : Bottle

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ageing : Drink over next 24 months.

**in the vineyard :** This is the first Pinotage made under the Kloovenburg label. This vineyard was planted in 1969 and was one of the first in the Swartland region.

**about the harvest:** When we harvested the fruit in February, the grapes were harvested at optimum ripeness of 23.5° Balling.

**in the cellar :** The wine was aged for 6 months in new American Oak barrels. After that we left it in the bottle for another 6 months, before we released it.

