

Cirrus Syrah 2007

variety : Shiraz | 95% Syrah, 5% Viognier

winery : Guardian Peak

winemaker : Louis Strydom

wine of origin :

analysis : **alc** : 14.92 % vol **rs** : 4.2 g/l **pH** : 3.68 **ta** : 6.5 g/l

type : Red **style** : Dry **body** : Medium **taste** : Fruity **wooded**

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

ageing : Appearance: Dark opaque.

Aroma: Toffee and caramel aromas are supported by subtle floral aromas emerging from the small amount of Viognier added to the wine.

Palate: Red fruit flavors are dominant with a hint of dried peach. The wine shows a well structured middle palate with a grainy finish.

Impression: "I believe we succeeded in capturing the very essence of both France (Rhône) and South Africa (Stellenbosch) in this wine." – Jean Engelbrecht

in the cellar : VINIFICATION & STYLE

This wine was matured for 18 months in a combination of new French and American Oak 300 l barrels and is made in a typical Rhône style.

