

Badsberg Pinotage (Mocha Fusion) 2011

Colour: Dark red.

Nose: Blackberry & cassis on the nose with mocha aromas.

Palate: Ripe plum and rich mocha flavours with lingering aftertaste.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery : Badsberg Wine Cellar

winemaker : Willie Burger, Henri Swiegers, De Wet Hugo & Jaco Booysen

wine of origin : Rawsonville

analysis : **alc** : 14 % vol **rs** : 2.0 g/l **pH** : 3.51 **ta** : 5.9 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

John Platter 2013 - 3½ Stars

Veritas Wine Awards 2012 - Bronze Medal

Michelangelo CCL Label International Wine Awards 2012 - Silver

Best Value 2012

in the vineyard : Climate: Mediterranean

Rainfall: 800mm - 1000mm per year

Soil: Red, rocky hill soil

Trellis system: Perold

Irrigation: Micro

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested middle of February at 25° - 26° Balling.

Yield: 12 tons/ha

in the cellar : Cold soak for 48h before fermentation. Fermentation period 7 - 9 days at 24° - 27° C

Malolactic fermentation on medium toast french oak. Matured further for 7 - 8months before bottling.

