

DeWaal Pinotage 2010

A full, fruity wine with flavours of ripe plums and cherries; rich with a persistent finish. Well integrated wood.

DeWaal Wines are considered one of the top Pinotage producers of South Africa. Only three producers have received the Pinotage Top 10 award six times or more in the thirteen years the competition has been running.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery : De Waal Wines

winemaker : Pieter de Waal

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : **alc** : 13.0 % vol **rs** : 1.1 g/l **pH** : 3.71 **ta** : 5.0 g/l

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

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

ageing : 5 - 8 years

in the vineyard : Location of the Vineyard: On warmer north facing slopes

Soil Type: Gravel & loam

Age of Vineyard: up to 30 years

Rootstock: R99

Method of Trellising: 1 wire

about the harvest: Harvest date: 24 February 2010

Sugar Level at Harvest: 24° Balling

Yield per hectare: 7.0 tons/ha

in the cellar : Fermentation & Maceration Period: 14 days

Cellar Maturation: Matured in French oak

Bottling Date: October 2011

