

## Deetlefs Estate Oak Matured Pinotage 2009

Deep purple colored wine. Ripe black fruit layered with cherry and spice aromas rounded off by chocolate notes. Supple tannins and a well rounded mouth with developing complexity. Wine shows good wood integration with firm mouth filling finish.

Game birds; chocolate-chilli fillet; and rich chocolate pudding.

**variety :** Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

**winery :** Deetlefs Estate

**winemaker :** Ferdi Visser

**wine of origin :** Breedekloof

**analysis :** alc : 14.29 % vol    rs : 4 g/l

**type :** Red    **style :** Dry    **wooded**

**pack :** Bottle    **size :** 0    **closure :** Cork

**ageing :** p4 - 8 years /p

**in the vineyard :**

Rootstock: 101-14

Clone: P148A

Plant Date: 1995

Hectares: 10ha

**about the harvest:** Harvest date: 13 to the 22 February 2009

**in the cellar :** Grapes are picked at full/optimum ripeness to ensure expression of Pinotage varietal characters. The wine was oak matured for 9 months. 85% was new wood and rest in second and third fill barrels. 70% French and 30% American Oak was used to enhance complexity.

