

## Mooiplaas Pinotage 1999

A full-bodied wine with a deep purple colour. The nose is reminiscent of plums and ripe bananas, which is typical of this unique South African variety.

**variety :** Pinotage | Pinotage

**winery :** Mooiplaas Estate

**winemaker :** Louis Roos

**wine of origin :** Stellenbosch

**analysis :** alc : 13.4 % vol    rs : 1.9 g/l    pH : 3.91    ta : 5.1 g/l

**pack :** Bottle    **closure :** Cork

Wine 500 Club 2000 - Winner out of 35 wines  
International Wine Challenge 2001 - Seal of approval

**in the vineyard :** 25 Year old bush vines planted on a North-west facing slope at about 360m above sea level.

**about the harvest:** Harvested on the 19th of February 1999 at 4.1 tonnes per hectare. The grapes were brought in at 24.4° Balling.

**in the cellar :** Fermented for approximately 4 days in closed tanks.  
Partially aged in small French-oak barrels.  
Limited filtration and no stabilization was used prior to bottling which took place on the 23rd of November 1999 on the estate.

