

## Leopard Leap Pinotage Shiraz 2014

**Wine Style:** An authentic South African New World blend that is fruit-driven and full-bodied. **Nose:** A unique blend of blackcurrent, ripe plum and spice beautifully balanced by a touch of toastiness from the oak. **Palate:** An array of complex flavours that settle with deeper notes of pepper, mocha and dark fruit. A firm structure ushers in a memorable finish.

Pair with richly flavoured pork and duck dishes.

**variety :** Pinotage | 51% Pinotage, 49% Shiraz

**winery :** Leopards Leap Family Vineyards

**winemaker :** Eugene van Zyl

**wine of origin :** Stellenbosch

**analysis :** alc : 13.5 % vol    rs : 2.84 g/l    pH : 3.51    ta : 5.47 g/l

**type :** Red    **style :** Dry    **body :** Full

**pack :** Bottle    **size :** 750ml    **closure :** Screwcap

**in the vineyard :** Grapes were selected from areas most ideal for growing both varietals, namely Swartland and Paarl.

**about the harvest:** Picked at optimal fruit ripeness.

**in the cellar :**

Sorted, de-stemmed, crushed, cold-soaked and fermented at 28 °C with regular pump-overs and punch downs.

Maturation: The Pinotage and Shiraz component was matured in 225-litre French oak barrels for 12 months.



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