

## Altydgedacht Pinotage 1999

Veritas 2002 - Silver

The South African Trophy Wine Show 2002 - Silver

Booms with banana and plum, turning creamy in mouth with Pinotages not infrequent tannin rejoinder.

variety : Pinotage | 100% Pinotage

winery :

winemaker : Oliver Parker

wine of origin : Durbanville

analysis : alc : 13.58 % vol rs : 2.1 g/l pH : 3.64 ta : 5.3 g/l so2 : 84 mg/l fso2 : 47 mg/l

type : Red

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in the vineyard : Soils: Hutton

Trellis: Hedge

Irrigation: Dryland

Age: 19 years

about the harvest: Grapes were picked at 24.6° Balling

Crop size: 6 tons/ha

in the cellar : Yeast: We372

The grapes were crushed to closed fermenters and were given pump overs 2x a day and with one aeration pump over. The wines were pressed at 1B and Malolactic Fermentation took place in the barrels. A blend of 50% AWO and 50% French wood. 20% new wood, the balance 2nd and 3rd fill. The wine was in wood for 18 months and then given a light egg fining, before bottling.

