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De Krans Touriga Nacional 2002

The wine has a vibrant deep plum colour, with dense aromas of chocolate, spice, pepper, a touch of vanilla and prunes. It has a fleshy, chewy mouthful of flavours. The firm tannin structure, together with the concentrated fruit, ensures excellent maturation potential. This wine, which is the flagship dry red wine from De Krans, is bottled in an elegant bottle, with the label screen printed directly on to the bottle.

variety : Touriga Nacional | Touriga Nacional
winery : De Krans Wines
winemaker : Boets & Stroebel Nel
wine of origin : Klein Karoo
analysis : **alc :** 14.0 % vol **rs :** 2.1 g/l **ta :** 5.3 g/l
type : Red
pack : Bottle

Boets and Stroebel Nel released the first single variety Touriga Nacional dry red wine in South Africa in 2000. This 2002 vintage is the third wine made from this variety.

in the vineyard : Very low yields from 7 year old wines planted on poor clay soil.

in the cellar : This Touriga Nacional was made from fully ripe grapes. After malolactic fermentation it was wooded for 5 months prior to bottling.