

De Krans Tempranillo 2002

Maiden Vintage

This medium-bodied wine has creamy-rich and fruit flavours and a seductive silky finish. Ideal accompaniment to smoked carpaccio, springbok and poultry dishes.

variety : Tempranillo | 90% Tempranillo, 10% Cabernet Sauvignon

winery : De Krans Wines

winemaker : Boets & Stroebel Nel

wine of origin : Klein Karoo

analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol rs : 2.0 g/l pH : 5.4 ta : 5.4 g/l

type : Red

pack : Bottle

This wine, released in January 2003, is the first Tempranillo in South Africa. This grape variety is well-known in the Rioja region in Spain.

in the vineyard : Low yields from 6 year old vines planted on very poor clay soil.

in the cellar : 24 hours skin contact before fermentation, pressed at 5Â° Balling. After malolactic fermentation, it was wooded for 5 months with 25% American oak, and 75% French oak.

