

## Raka Pinotage 2018 main variety Pinotage vintage 2018 analysis alc: 14 | ph: 3.72 | rs: 1.7 | ta: 5.3 type Red producer Raka Wines style Dry winemaker Josef Dreyer wine of Klein River

## tasting notes

Appearance: Deep ruby red colour.

Bouquet & Palate: Concentration of dark fruits, black and red berries. Spicy sweet undertones of cinnamon and banana on the nose. Balanced oak on the palate supports ripe juicy plum and fruit concentration with spicy smooth finish.

blend information 100% Pinotage

about the harvest

All grapes were hand picked.

in the cellar

All grapes were hand picked and sorted before a pure yeast culture, BM 45, was inoculated. The juice was pumped over the skins 3-5 times per day for 5 days. Once fermentation was complete, the wine was drained of the primary lees and transferred to a resting tank. Malolactic fermentation and a brief settling period preceded the wine to a combination of 225 litre of French oak for 12 months.