

# Raka Spliced 2020

main variety Shiraz vintage 2020

analysis alc: 14 | ph: 3.66 | rs: 3.3 | ta: 5.0

type Red producer Raka Wines style Dry winemaker Josef Dreyer

taste Fruity wine of Cape South Coast

body Medium

## tasting notes

Easy drinking red blend. Ripe red fruit, berries and prunes with earthy undertone. Medium-bodied and fruit filled on the palate with a smoky undertone and slight oak finish.

### blend information

28% Shiraz, 18% Sangiovese, 12% Cabernet Sauvignon, 12% Merlot, 12% Pinotage, 8% Cabernet Franc, 8% Malbec & 2% Viognier

### about the harvest

All grapes were hand picked and sorted in the vineyards.

### in the cellar

A second berry sorting was done in the cellar, before a pure yeast culture was inocculated. The juice was pumped over the skins 3-5 times per day and manual punch downs done for 5 days. Once fermentation was complete, the wine was drained off the primary lees and transferred to a resting tank. Malolactic fermentation and a brief settling period preceded the wines transfer to a combination of 225 litre barrels of French oak types. (25% New)