



IDIOM

WINES OF CHARACTER

STELLENBOSCH

900 SERIES PETIT VERDOT 2018

VINIFICATION

Wine maker description

A limited 3 barrel release of Idiom Petit Verdot. A dark and intense colour. White pepper and blackberries on the nose. A dense wine with notes of concentrated sweet tobacco, cedarwood and liquorice flavours. Decanting is a must for this 'meditation' wine.

Varieties

100 % Petit Verdot

Origin

Wine of Origin Stellenbosch

Vinification details

Grapes were cold soaked for 3-4 days prior to being crushed and fermented at optimal temperatures, after which it was pressed and did Malo-Latic fermentation in tank on French oak staves. The wine was then racked to 225L French and American oak barrels for a 36 months maturation process, before being lightly fined and filtered before bottling.

Date of bottling

Analysis

pH 3.56

Residual sugar 1.6g/l

Total acidity 5.4

Alcohol 14%

PROVENANCE

Vineyard – Da Capo, Sir Lowry's Pass, Helderberg

Soils

Granite/Tukulu (decomposed granite)/Table Mountain Sandstone

Aspect

North west

Area

1 Ha

Trellising

Vertical Shoot Positioning

Irrigation

Drip

Predominant wind

SE Summer/NW Winter

Date of planting

February 2008

Clones

BB1

Balling at picking

24.5 °B

