

## HM King Goodwill Pinotage Reserve 2010



**Cultivar:**  
Pinotage

**The Vineyards:**

The grapes are grown in the Wellington region, ensuring that the grapes can reach optimal levels of ripeness when harvest.

**Vinification:**

Pinotage is South Africa's unique grape variety, with characteristics of very deep colour and an intense fruitiness. It is one of the country's most versatile varieties, capable of attractive wines across the spectrum of Rose, unwooded juicy everyday table wines as well as expensively-oaked fine wines. At the top quality level, it has the ability to age very well, as recent tastings of bottling of various wines from the 1960s have proved.

A variety of oak barrels were used and while the tannins are well integrated, giving immediate smooth drinkability, the wine has good ageing potential. A wine with personality.

**Analysis:**

Sugar : 3.26 g/l  
Acid 6.5 g/l  
Ph 3.71  
Alcohol: 14 vol. %

**Winemaker's description:**

Dried herb and Buchu nuances in the wine's lush and concentrated blueberry flavours .

**Food Pairing**

Pairs well with strong game meats such as rabbit and venison, as well as sauced beef dishes. Great with a rich dessert cake or chocolate soufflé.