

Kaapzicht Classic Red 2005

main variety Cinsaut

vintage 2005

analysis alc: 13.76 | ph: 3.43 | rs: 2.3 | ta: 5.9

type Red

producer Kaapzicht Wine Estate

style Dry

winemaker Danie Steytler

wine of Stellenbosch

tasting notes

Rich ruby colour with pure-fruited layers of red berry, plum and spiced cherries; medium bodied with gently balanced tannins and a juicy texture that invites relaxed enjoyment.

Elsie Pels - Cape Wine Master

ageing potential

3 - 6 years

blend information

28% Cinsaut, 24% Merlot, 24% Shiraz, 21% Cabernet Sauvignon, 3% Pinotage

in the vineyard

Vines planted in Clovelly type soil.

about the harvest

Yield of 8 tons/ha.

in the cellar

The cultivars were vinified separately and then blended together. NT112 yeast was used. Pumping over was done 3 times per day in red wine tanks. Some French oak staves were used in the tanks to give the wine some complexity.

