

main variety Shiraz

vintage 2011

analysis alc: 14.38 | ph: 3.61 | rs: 2.9 | ta: 6.3 | va: 0.62 | ts02: 85 | fs02: 20

type Red producer Edgebaston Vineyard I David Finlayson Wines

winemaker David Finlayson style Dry wine of Western Cape

body Medium

taste Herbaceous

tasting notes

Made from grown grapes in the Stellenbosch, Paarl and Elgin regions, this wine is created to show the fresh, fruity and spice driven flavours of these Rhône varietals. The colour is youthful and purple/red. The nose is one of crushed black pepper, dark mulberry and mixed berry coulis.

blend information

51% Syrah, 24% Mourvèdre, 12% Cinsaut, 8% Grenache, 4% Tannat, 1% Viognier

food suggestions

Pure, clean dark red berry flavours flow onto a smooth palate with sufficient structure to warrant enjoyment with food such as Gourmet Pizza with Carpaccio and rocket salad.

in the vineyard

Origin: Stellenbosch, Paarl and Elgin regions Soil type: Malmesbury Shale on deep red clay

about the harvest

All grapes were hand picked between February - March 2011.

in the cellar

All grapes were hand picked and fermented in stainless steel tanks. Soft pressed to allow fruit dominant characteristics.

Wood Elevation:

2nd and 3nd Fill French and American oak barrels for 10 months as well as 6500 litre vats.