



Sheegene 12 (KRISSY®)

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SOUTH AFRICA

Characteristics	1) Dark red 2) Early mid-season red seedless 3) Very good eating quality 4) High natural acidity 5) Medium vigour 6) Cylindrical bunches on young vines	
Plant Spacing	1,5m - 1,8m x 3,0m	
Rootstock	Vigorous growth ability of Ramsey could be beneficial for this variety in terms of bunch structure Soil type, plant spacing and trellising system influence the rootstock choice	
Pruning	Short bearers for young vines – 1 st and 2 nd crop 4-8 half-long canes (6-8 buds) along with short bearers for renewal	
Thinning	No thinning sprays recommended Trials: 1ppm Gibb at 110% flowering – Improve bunch structure development	
After set	Hang bunches through	
Enlargement	Between 6mm - 8mm berry size Hex river – 2-3ppm Berg river – 2-3ppm Elephant river – 2-3ppm Orange river – 3-5ppm Cool weather conditions is more advantageous for effective enlargement Do not increase dosage in case of undesirable weather – fertility risk Shorten bunches to 12cm max Tip shoots, remove leaves in bunch zone	
Harvest control	Full production - 5.5 – 6.0 bunches per m ² 1 st crop – 25-30% of full production 2 nd crop – 70 -75% of full production 3 rd crop – full production	
Canopy management	Effective sunlight necessary after veraison for uniform colour development Vegetative growth needed before flowering for good bunch structure development Trial: Early CPPU applications (5-10cm shoot length) for bunch structure development	
Harvest	Minimum Standards:	
	Sugar: - 18°B OR - 17°B with 25:1 sugar:acid ratio	Berry size: - Regular – 15mm - Large – 17mm - X-Large – 19mm - XX-Large – 21mm

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