



LYNGROVE

Wines and Vineyards
STELLENBOSCH · SOUTH AFRICA

COLLECTION

SAUVIGNON BLANC 2017

The Collection range of wines aspires to be easy to drink but also true to its terroir. The emphasis lies on fruit-expression and smooth tannins of the specific cultivar.

ORIGIN: Stellenbosch

VARIETIES: 100% Sauvignon Blanc

VINEYARD: The 9ha vines were planted over the period of 2003 up to 2010 with 2.5m spacing. Soils consist of weathered granite on a clay base. The vines are drip-irrigated to ensure optimal ripening and trained on a 5-wire Perold trellis system. Vines benefit by having the cool breezes from the nearby Atlantic Ocean (False Bay) during the ripening season

GROWING SEASON: Yet another dry season with similar amounts of rain than 2016. Mild weather from mid-October through to end January got things off at a steady pace. A couple of cool evenings during flowering resulted in less bunches/crop and unevenness at harvest. Partially through harvesting the white and early red varieties a 70mm thunder storm slowed things down for a week without too big effect on quality. Harvest was completed end March with a 5% overall decrease in yield from previous year.

VINIFICATION: The grapes were handpicked early morning in small lug boxes, from 21° balling up to 24.5° balling ripeness over a period of 3 weeks, starting end January. Oxidation was kept to the minimum to retain natural fruit flavours. Juice settled for 48 hours and was then fermented between 12-14°C for 14 days.

TASTING NOTES: Inviting aromas of green pepper, grapefruit and granadilla infused with a touch of green fig. On the palate, it is full and juicy with layers of fruit and a zesty lime-edged finish.

SERVING: Enjoy this wine chilled (10-12°C) with Mediterranean vegetable stack layered with lemon and oregano roasted potatoes, or grilled eggplant, roasted red peppers, asparagus and semi dried tomatoes drizzled with balsamic jus

ANALYSIS:

Alc: 13.6%
RS: 2.5 g/L
TA: 6.6 g/L
PH: 3.3

Bottle barcode (750ml) : 6009638240080

Case barcode (6 x 750ml): 8711709512511

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