

## Klein Constantia Perdeblokke 2005

### Veritas 2005 - Gold

This is a special wine, shepherded into the bottle with minimal interference. An explosion of sweet and sour aromas, mingled with the heady fragrance of mint and brown sugar, is followed on the palate by a piercing concentration of tangy acidity and fresh passion fruit and peppadew flavours. The finish goes on forever.

**variety :** Sauvignon Blanc | 100% Sauvignon Blanc

**winery :** Klein Constantia Estate

**winemaker :** Adam Mason

**wine of origin :**

**analysis :** alc : 13.41 % vol    rs : 2.1 g/l    pH : 3.17    ta : 8.2 g/l

**type :** White    **style :** Dry

**pack :** Bottle    **closure :** Screwcap

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**in the vineyard :** Due to its altitude higher up the farm (200-220m above sea level), southerly aspect and exposure to the cooling south easterly breeze which blows daily in the hot summer months of January and February coupled with slightly poorer soils, the vines are able to produce richly flavoured grapes with high levels of organic acids beneficial to the production of striking wines.

**about the harvest:** Early morning picking.

**in the cellar :** Early morning picking coupled with gentle pressing resulted in the recovery of fresh, healthy juice which was lightly racked before being inoculated for fermentation. After 4 months lees maturation the wine was stabilized, lightly filtered and bottled under screw-cap.

