

## Groote Post Sauvignon Blanc 2007

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Clearly a cool climate wine. Very accessible with a flinty and restrained nose hinting of Cape gooseberries and freshly cut green apple on the palate. Minimal lees contact giving the wine an elegant, rounded and balanced appeal.

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variety : Sauvignon Blanc | 100% Sauvignon Blanc  
winery : Groote Post Vineyards  
winemaker : Lukas Wentzel  
wine of origin : Darling  
analysis : alc : 13.5 % vol    rs : 1.23 g/l    pH : 3.43    ta : 6.6 g/l  
type : White    style : Dry    taste : Fruity  
pack : Bottle    closure : Cork

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2011 Winemakers' Choice Diamond Award  
Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2011 - Bronze  
Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show 2008 - Silver Medal (81/100)  
International Wine Challenge 2008 - Bronze  
Veritas 2007 - Gold

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in the vineyard : Vines planted: 1993 - 2002  
Soil: Hutton & Oakleaf  
Clones: SB 215 A, 316, 317, 11 - Selection of clones for diversity  
Rootstock: Selection of rootstock for diversity  
Yield: 7 tons/ha  
Irrigation: Supplementary to alleviate stress  
Trellising: 5 wire Perold  
Elevation: 280m  
Aspect: West to South to East  
Canopy: Rigorous canopy management

### about the harvest:

The grapes were harvested in three stages between 21 and 23° Balling. The grapes harvested in the morning went directly to the sorting table and the afternoon harvested grapes spent the night in a refrigerated container.

### in the cellar :

The grapes were de-stemmed before crushing and had skin contact for 6-12 hours. The juice was settled for 2-3 days, inoculated with cultured yeast, fermented at 13-16° C for 12-14 days and had lees contact for 3 months without stirring.

The wine was filtered and bottled in May 2007.



## Groote Post Vineyards

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