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Edgebaston Chardonnay 2008

The wine shows an elegant minerality with lime-citrus, sourdough and cinnamon flavours. The tight minerality keeps a wonderful acid grip on the palate showing good ageing potential. A floral note of wild , white flowers such as frangipani and almond blossom is obvious on the front of the nose and follows through the palate.



variety : Chardonnay | 100% Chardonnay
winery : Edgebaston Vineyard I David Finlayson Wines
winemaker : David Finlayson
wine of origin : Stellenbosch
analysis : **alc :** 13.5 % vol **rs :** 3.8 g/l **pH :** 3.33 **ta :** 6.1 g/l **va :** 0.33 g/l **so2 :** 120 mg/l **fso2 :** 40 mg/l
type : White **style :** Dry **body :** Medium **taste :** Fruity
pack : Bottle **closure :** Screwcap

John Platter - 4 stars

in the vineyard : Malmesbury Shale on deep red clay

about the harvest: Hand picked Chardonnay grapes, picked in three tranches with sugars from 22 Brix up to 25 brix to ensure a variety of flavours. Harvest Date: Early March 2008

in the cellar : 100% barrel fermented with natural yeasts and 20% of the wine underwent malolactic fermentation.
Wood Elevation:
30% New French Oak - Nevers, Allier; Medium Toasted
50% 2nd Fill French Oak - Medium Toasted
20% 3rd Fill French Oak

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