

Vergelegen Sauvignon Blanc Reserve Schaapenberg 2000

The wine shows green fig, gooseberries, guava, cut grass, and most importantly a core of minerally-flinty flavours. The taste is full and long. Serve chilled at 10 to $12 \hat{A}^{\circ} C$ with grilled chicken, fish or asparagus.

variety: Sauvignon Blanc | Sauvignon Blanc

winery: Vergelegen Wines
winemaker: Andre van Rensberg

wine of origin: Coastal

analysis: alc:14.0 % vol rs:2.1 g/l pH:3.41 ta:7.0 g/l

type: White **style**: Dry

pack: Bottle

SAA First class for 2001, as well as runner up for the white wine trophy.

ageing: Can be enjoyed now, but will be great in 12 to 24 months.

in the vineyard: Unwooded Sauvignon Blanc from the single Schaapenberg Vineyard. South west facing slopes on the Schaapenberg and facing the nearby False Bay coastline. The soils are Clovelly / decomposed granites. The vineyards is dry land.

in the cellar: After destemming/crushing the juice is left of the skins for 18hrs at 8°C. This is followed by a light pressing and settling at low temperatures for 8 days. The clean juice is then fermented with Vin 7 for 21 days at 14°C. No lees contact is allowed.



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