

Klein Constantia Sauvignon Blanc 2011

Complex aromas of cape gooseberries and green figs. The palate is full bodied, well rounded and packed with flavour. Prominent mineral texture and a steely acid backbone are features of this vintage.

variety : Sauvignon Blanc | 87% Sauvignon Blanc, 13% Semillon

winery : Klein Constantia Estate

winemaker : Adam Mason

wine of origin : Constantia

analysis : alc : 13.26 % vol rs : 2.1 g/l pH : 3.34 ta : 6.8 g/l

type : White **style :** Dry **body :** Full **taste :** Mineral

pack : Bottle **closure :** Cork

ageing : Will mature favourably in bottle up to 2020.

in the vineyard : Regarded by many as a difficult vintage due to the heat and water stress suffered late in the season. Fortunately our Sauvignons came in before any ill effects were suffered, and as a result offer classic, ripe Constantia flavours with typically fresh acidity.

about the harvest: The first Sauvignons came in very early- on the 27th January, and the last batch was processed on the 2nd March. The majority was harvested at the beginning of February, whilst the weather was still comparatively mild.

