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Delaire Graff Sauvignon Blanc 2012

This classic maritime Sauvignon Blanc, made from grapes sourced from three premium wine regions, reveals aromas of cut grass, asparagus and hints of citrusy tropical fruit. Discover a multi layered, complex mouth feel, a fresh and crisp vibrancy with lingering flavours of Cape gooseberry and zesty fruit with a subtle mineral finish.

variety : Sauvignon Blanc | 100% Sauvignon Blanc
winery : Delaire Graff Estate
winemaker : Morne Vrey
wine of origin : Olifantsrivier; Walker Ba
analysis : **alc :** 13.5 % vol **rs :** 2.6 g/l **pH :** 3.28 **ta :** 6.9 g/l
type : White **style :** Dry **taste :** Fruity
pack : Bottle **closure :** Screwcap

in the vineyard : The 2012 conditions produced crops of notable quality. The cool harvest period and slow ripening of grapes resulted in smaller berries with intense colour, exceptional flavours and structure.

about the harvest: The grapes were 100% handpicked in the early hours of the morning from three premium wine regions: Olifantsrivier, Darling, Stellenbosch and Durbanville. This combination brings the unique flavours from each region in full harmony.

in the cellar : The grapes did not receive any skin contact and were gently pressed. Fermentation lasted nearly 3 weeks at 12?C and the wine was then left on primary lees for 6 weeks post fermentation.