

Bellevue Houd-den-Beck Muscante 2000

An excellent semi-sweet table wine, with a beautiful Muscat aroma and taste. Very fruity nose, full, fresh grapes, deep Muscat. Not too sweet. Enjoy on its own or with food.

variety : Colombard | 20% Muscat D Alexandrie; 80% Colombard

winery : Bellevue Wine Estate

winemaker : Dirkie Morkel & Francois van der Merwe

wine of origin : Stellenbosch

analysis : **alc** : 12.08 % vol **rs** : 17.5 g/l **pH** : 3.39 **ta** : 4.7 g/l **va** : 0.38 g/l **so2** :
129 mg/l **fso2** : 55 mg/l

pack : Bottle **closure** : Cork

in the vineyard : Climate: A good vintage. Dry, warm winter followed by a hot dry summer. Grapes were very healthy, and ripened rapidly.

Soil: Muscat D'Alexandrie - Longlands

Colombar - Estcourt

Trellising: Muscat D'Alexandrie - Perold 3 Wire

Colombar - Untrellised

Age of Vines: Muscat D'Alexandrie - 10 years

Colombar - 28 years

about the harvest: The grapes were harvested early in the morning.

Yield: Muscat D'Alexandrie - 12.5 tons/ha