

## Delheim Sauvignon Blanc 2002

A classic example of Sauvignon Blanc with grassy and fig aromas on the palate with a lingering crisp and dry finish. The wine will compliment food dishes such as seafood, poultry and salads.

**variety :** Sauvignon Blanc | Sauvignon Blanc

**winery :** Delheim Wine Estate

**winemaker :** Conrad Vlok

**wine of origin :** Coastal

**analysis :** alc : 13.49 % vol   rs : 2.0 g/l   pH : 3.43   ta : 7.5 g/l

**type :** White

**pack :** Bottle

**in the vineyard :** Sauvignon Blanc vineyards are south facing, 9 years old and 420m above sea level. Planted with a vine spacing of 1.2m x 2.7m in deep, red, well draining sandy-loam soil. The vineyard tends to be too vigorous. Additional summer pruning and tipping keeps it in balance. Yields of 6 tonnes per hectare are achieved.

Age of vines: Planted 1993

Clone: Mixed

**about the harvest:** The grapes were harvested by hand at 23.5Å° Balling in the morning to ensure cool grapes.

**in the cellar :** Crushed, destemmed and mash-cooled before settling. Skin contact for 8 hours. Free-run juice was kept separate. Cold fermented in steel tanks with selected yeast strains until dry. Wine kept on primary lees for 2 months.

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