

Kaapzicht Kliprug Chenin Blanc 2021

main variety Chenin Blanc vintage 2021

analysis alc: 13.50 | ph: 3.48 | rs: 3.2 | ta: 5.4

type White producer Kaapzicht Wine Estate

style Dry winemaker Danie Steytler Jnr

wine of Stellenbosch

body Medium

tasting notes

Rich, deep, complex nose of bruised yellow fruits, white peach, creamy and plush, showing honeyed pineapples, leesy yellow fruits. Plenty of gravitas, fruit weight, focus and textural complexity.

ageing potential

Aging: 4 years

blend information

100% Chenin Blanc

in the vineyard

Planted in 1982 this old bush vines now never yields more than 4 tons per Hectare. Unirrigated and planted in weathered granite topsoil and crumbly clay sub-soil it's called "Kliprug" by the laborers cause of all the numerous rocks on the ground.

about the harvest

Grapes are picked by hand.

in the cellar

Grapes are picked by hand and then whole bunch pressed without the use of Sulphur. The juice is left 1 day to settle before racking it to barrels and leaving it to naturally ferment until dry. The wine is stirred once a month and kept in the 300/400 and 500L barrels for almost a year before sulphuring up and bottling it. The RS is natural sugar which did not ferment dry.