



CEDERBERG

SOUTH AFRICA

CHENIN BLANC 2015

Seven selected barrels were used to produce 600 cases. Delicate aromas of honey, lime zest, roasted nuts and peaches laced with sweet vanilla undertones. Well-integrated wood and ageing on the lees developed a full, rich palate with a smooth lingering finish. This Chenin Blanc is concentrated and structured for longevity. An elegant well crafted wine.

----- VINEYARDS & VINIFICATION -----

Facing:	South-west
Soil types:	Glenrosa and Sandstone
Age of vines:	14 years, Cederberg ward
Vineyard area:	1.2 ha
Yield per hectare:	6.0 t/ha
Trellised:	Extended 6 wire Perold
Irrigation:	Supplementary
Clone:	SN24/220 on Richter 99
Harvest date:	27 February 2015
Degree balling at harvest:	Early morning hand harvested at 23.5°B
Vinification:	30 – 61 days at 12 – 13°C with selected yeast strains, barrel fermented, new fill 33%, 2nd fill 33%, 3rd fill 33% in 400l barrels, medium toast tight grain for 11 months, regular bâtonnage 5% unwooded 2015 chenin, 10% viognier.
Optimum drinking time:	Now to 2020

----- ANALYSIS -----

Alcohol	13.5% vol	TA	6.5 g/l
Sugar	3.7 g/l	pH	3.5

----- ACCOLADES -----

- Old Mutual Trophy Wine Show '18: Bronze – 2015 vintage
- Platter's Wine Guide '18: 4.5 stars – 2015 vintage
- Veritas '17: Gold – 2015 vintage
- Standard Bank Top 10 Chenin Blanc Challenge '17: Top 10 – 2015 vintage
- Tim Atkin '17: 94 points – 2015 vintage
- Cederberg and Lambertsbaai Wards Terroir Awards: Top Chenin Blanc – 2015 vintage
- NWC/Top 100 SA Wines '17: Double Gold – 2015 vintage
- Decanter Wine World Awards '17: Silver – 2014 vintage
- Veritas '16: Silver – 2014 vintage
- Novare SA TWA '16 National: Top Chenin Blanc – 2014 vintage
- Novare SA TWA '16 District: Top Chenin Blanc – 2014 vintage
- NWC Top 100 SA Wines '16: Double Silver – 2013 vintage
- Platter's SA Wine Guide '16: 4.5 star – 2013 vintage
- Tim Atkin '15: 94 points – 2012 vintage
- Decanter World Wine Awards '15: Silver – 2012 vintage
- Top 100 SA Wines '15: Top 100 – 2012 vintage
- Veritas '14: Silver – 2012 vintage
- Platter's SA Wine Guide '15: 4.5 stars – 2012 vintage
- Tim Atkin '14: 94 points – 2011 vintage
- Robert Parker '14: 90 points – 2011 vintage
- Platter's SA Wine Guide '14: 4.5 stars – 2011 vintage
- Wine Spectator '13: 90 points – 2011 vintage

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