



# CEDERBERG

SOUTH AFRICA

## CHENIN BLANC 2016

Seven selected barrels were used to produce 700 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 -----

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| Facing:                    | South-west  |
| Soil types:                | Glenrosa and Sandstone  |
| Age of vines:              | 12 years  |
| Vineyard area:             | 2.34 ha   |
| Yield per hectare:         | 6.0 t/ha  |
| Trellised:                 | Extended 6 wire Perold  |
| Irrigation:                | Supplementary   |
| Clone:                     | SN24/220 on Richter 99  |
| Harvest date:              | 2 March 2016  |
| Degree balling at harvest: | Early morning hand harvested at 23.5°B  |
| Vinification:              | 30 – 61 days at 13 – 14°C naturally fermented in barrel, new fill 33%, 2nd fill 33%, 3rd fill 33% in 400l barrels, medium toast tight grain for 11 months, regular bâtonnage, 10% viognier. |
| Optimum drinking time:     | Now to 2023   |

### ----- ANALYSIS -----

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|---------|---------|----|---------|
| Alcohol | 14% vol | TA | 6.7 g/l |
| Sugar   | 3.8 g/l | pH | 3.48    |

### ----- ACCOLADES -----

- Chenin Blanc Challenge '18: Top 10 – 2016 vintage
- Platter's SA Wine Guide '19: 5 Stars – 2016 vintage
- Veritas '18: Silver – 2016 vintage
- Tim Atkin '18: 94 – 2016 vintage
- Cederberg and Lambertsbaai Wards Terroir Awards: Top Chenin Blanc – 2016 vintage
- 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

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