

SPARKLING CHENIN BLANC

VINTAGE 2021

REGION Western Cape, South Africa

VARIETY Chenin Blanc WINEMAKER Henry Kotzé

ANALYSIS Residual Sugar: 6.4 g/l Total Acid: 6.7 g/l

pH: 3.39 Free SO_2 : 40 mg/l Alcohol: 13.0 % Total SO_2 : 118 mg/l

METHOD Utmost care in the winemaking process with respect

to fruit integrity and focus on clean, uninterrupted fruit expression is key. Early, cool harvests with natural fermentations and clear understanding of different micro interactions, culminate into a wine that is harmonious and just a pleasure to drink. This wine spent 8 months in neutral, big format oak barrels before a state of the art, in-line carbonation processes helped to fulfil the dream of creating a world class

Sparkling wine.

TASTING NOTES Appearance: Gold and trimmed in green.

Nose: Chenin blanc makes for a great bubble as the sweet tropical alure that is Chenin shines when combined with some sparkle. Apricot, peach and pear are beautifully balanced by the earthy, vanilla pod nuances that appear as a result of some very well-judged use of oak.

Palate: Brimming with flavour and keen to give. It does hold back some fines nuances and waits for the sweet fruit explosion to temper and allow for the seduction of

sweeter spice to entice.

ACCOLADES 2021 Vintage 90/100 James Suckling Report 2022

2021 Vintage 3 1/2 Stars Platter's SA Wines