



Groote Post Chenin Blanc 2015

main variety	Chenin Blanc	vintage	2015
analysis	alc: 13.5 ph: 3.45 rs: 10.0 ta: 5.9		
type	White	producer	Groote Post Vineyards
style	Dry	winemaker	Lukas Wentzel
		wine of origin	Darling
body	Full		

tasting notes

This wine displays a remarkable fruitiness to it that lends to a sweeter style Chenin Blanc, which makes this a very drinkable wine indeed. The 2015 vintage has an abundance of apricot and guava flavours.

blend information

100% Chenin Blanc

in the vineyard

Vines planted: 2000

Soil: Hutton / Oak leaf

Irrigation: Supplementary

Trellishing: 7 wire extended moveable perold

Elevation: 200m

about the harvest

Very dry conditions in the Western Cape (August 2014 - May 2015) and earlier flowering contributed to a very early harvest. The earliest I have experienced since our first vintage in 1999. These conditions contributed to very small and compact bunches. The fruit were very healthy and because of this (and the smaller berries), very concentrated, fruit driven wine was the end result.

in the cellar

The wine was tank fermented and made in a fresh style to maintain the natural flavours that were so plentiful this year.