

# CEDERBERG

SOUTH AFRICA

## SAUVIGNON BLANC 2016

An aromatic Sauvignon Blanc showing a fusion of green and tropical notes of green fig, asparagus with gooseberries and lemon zest. A refreshing, crisp acidity finishes off the initial sensation of creaminess on the mid-palate. The ideal companion to traditional chicken pie, but also try it with shellfish or pork.

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

Facing:	South and East
Soil types:	Slate and Sandstone
Age of vines:	15 years
Vineyard area:	11 ha
Yield per hectare:	8 t/ha
Trellised:	Extended 6 wire Perold
Irrigation:	Supplementary
Clone:	SB316 on Richter 99, SB10 on Richter 110
Harvest date:	2 – 23 February 2016
Degree balling at harvest:	Early morning hand harvested at 20 – 23.5°B
Vinification:	Reductive style, cold crush 8°C, skin contact for 8 hours, only free run juice used, settle for 2 days at 10°C, 22 – 30 days fermented at 12°C with selected yeast strains, 5 months lees contact with weekly tank bâtonnage
Optimum drinking time:	1 – 3 years after release

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

Alcohol 13.0 % vol	TA 6.6 g/ℓ
Sugar 2.9 g/ℓ	pH 3.45

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

- International Wine Challenge'16: Gold – 2015 vintage
- Decanter World Wine Awards'16: Silver – 2015 vintage
- National Wine Challenge / Top 100 SA'16: Double silver – 2015 vintage
- SBIG FNB Top 10 Sauvignon Blanc'15 – 2015 vintage
- Platter's SA Wine Guide'16: Four star – 2015 vintage
- Michelangelo Wine Awards'15: Silver – 2015 vintage
- IWSC'15: Silver – 2014 vintage
- International Wine Challenge'15: Trophy, Gold – 2014 vintage
- Tim Atkin'15: 92 points – 2014 vintage
- Stephen Tanzer'15: 90 points – 2014 vintage
- Decanter World Wine Awards'15: Silver – 2014 vintage
- Sommelier Wine Awards'15: Bronze – 2014 vintage
- SA Wine Index Awards'15: Platinum
- Platter's SA Wine Guide'15: Four star – 2014 vintage
- Sommelier Wine Awards'14: Gold – 2013 vintage
- Tim Atkin'14: 91 points – 2013 vintage
- Robert Parker'14: 88 points – 2013 vintage
- UK IWC'14: Silver – 2013 vintage
- Platter's SA Wine Guide'14: Four star – 2013 vintage
- SA Wine Index Awards'13: Top SA Sauvignon Blanc
- Old Mutual Trophy'13: Best unwooded SA Sauvignon Blanc – 2012 vintage
- Concours Mondial du Sauvignon'13: Gold – 2012 vintage
- Michelangelo Wine Awards'12: Gold – 2012 vintage

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