

Kaapzicht 1947 Chenin Blanc 2017 - SOLD OUT

main variety Chenin Blanc

vintage 2017

analysis alc: 13.6 | ph: 3.48 | rs: 4.0 | ta: 5.4

type White

producer Kaapzicht Wine Estate

style Dry

winemaker Danie Steytler jnr

wine of Stellenbosch

tasting notes

4"It's a hugely complex yet entirely drinkable affair. Lime, white peach, yellow apple, earth, some yeasty complexity. Weightless intensity and all of a piece. Oxidative in style but perfectly done – the resulting vague sherry-like quality suits the wine. " Christian Eedes - www.whatidranklastnight.co.za

ageing potential

2 - 4 years

blend information

100% Chenin Blanc

in the vineyard

Old bush vine planted by Danie Jnr's great grandfather in 1947. The vineyard has been registered as a single vineyard, making it the second oldest Chenin block in the country. Originally 6ha in size, only 1ha of the very low yielding vineyard remains.

about the harvest

Hand-picked.

in the cellar

Whole bunch pressed, settled overnight, natural fermentation in French and Hungarian oak barrels. 1 year in different barrels, 500L 300L and 225L ranging from new to 3rd fill, and then a barrel selection is made to make up the final blend.

