



## Fromm La Strada . Sauvignon Blanc 2012

---

Grape variety	100% Sauvignon Blanc	
Bottled	November 2012	
Cellaring potential	2016	
Winemaker	Hätsch Kalberer & William Hoare	
Wine analysis	Alcohol	13.5%
	Total acidity	7.2 g/l
	pH	3.21
	Residual sugar	Less than 1 g/l
In Vineyard	High density planting, hand-picked later in harvest	
In Winery	100% whole bunch pressed, stirred in lees to add texture, no new oak - approx. 10% in well-seasoned French Oak	



Comment	<p>The 2012 is a ripe expression of Sauvignon Blanc. Showing bright fruit (candied lime zest, gooseberry) with delicate elderflower and a hint of hay offering a savoury element to the mix. The <i>je ne sais quoi</i> though comes from the flinty minerality that the site seems to gift to the wine. The palate reveals good weight founded not on sugar but a textural complexity. There is a balance and refreshing quality here with structured tightness carrying the wine in place of edgy acidity. Light maturation in some older French barrels contributes to the overall mouth feel. 100% hand-picked and whole bunch pressed with 70% being aged in older French Barrels.</p>
---------	---

Short description	<p>Generous ripe citrus with a hint of gooseberry and flinty minerals. Subtle complexity and texture, great purity, harmony and crisp finish (November 2012)</p>
-------------------	--

FROMM WINERY  
Godfrey Road, R D 2  
Blenheim  
New Zealand

Phone +64 (0)3 572 9355  
Fax +64 (0)3 572 9366

lastrada@frommwinery.co.nz  
www.frommwinery.co.nz