

GABRIËLSKLOOF RANGE

SAUVIGNON BLANC 2022

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Gabriëlskloof winery is in the Bot River ward, part of the greater Walker Bay region. Our winemaking philosophy is one of minimal intervention, only taking action where necessary. We believe this is the only way to give prominence to and reflect our terroir.

ABOUT

The Sauvignon Blanc is part of our Gabriëlskloof Range, together with the Rosebud, Chenin Blanc, The Blend and Syrah. This range offers a selection of boutique-style wines that always over-deliver on quality and value.

CLIMATE & VITICULTURE

The 2022 harvest benefitted from good winter rains and full dams, which set the tone for a cool, even growing season.

VINIFICATION

The Sauvignon Blanc 2022 was fermented wild in stainless steel tanks and left on its lees for seven months before bottling.

TASTING NOTE

A pure expression of the variety leading with blackcurrant leaf and a lime-driven citrus on the nose. The palate is fresh and stony with a range of unripe tropical fruit – pineapple and guava in particular – adding complexity, while the finish is nicely textured with a savoury edge to it. Balanced and bracingly fresh.

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

<i>Alcohol</i>	<i>13% volume</i>
<i>Residual sugar</i>	<i>1.5 g/l</i>
<i>Total acid</i>	<i>5.6 g/l</i>
<i>pH</i>	<i>3.34</i>



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