

2011 Reserve White Sauvignon Semillon

Delaire Graff, Western Cape, South Africa

Product details

Vintage:	2011	Drinking:	Now 2021
Producer:	Delaire Graff	Alcohol:	13.00%
Region:	Western Cape	Variety:	Sauvignon blanc
Country:	South Africa		

Tasting notes

Only 3,000 bottles of the White Reserve are made per year. The Reserve is a blendy of 70% Sauvignon and 30% Semillon, with the Semillon having been fermented and then aged for 4 months in oak barrels. Lively aromas of lemon, lime, pineapple and almonds. The palate is broad with more tropical and passion fruit, zippy citrus notes and a core minerality underpinning the fruit. Crisp and refreshing acidity with a long finish with lingering notes of citrus. The White Reserve is a selection of only the best 13 barrels of the vintage.

About the producer

In 2003 Laurence Graff OBE acquired the Avontuur estate in Stellenbosch, he set to create one of the leading South African wine estates. From the high-altitude terraces, located on the steep slopes of Botmaskop Mountain and frequently cooled by Atlantic breezes, the estate can count on impeccable grapes that carry the intensity of fruit that is the hallmark of Delaire Graff wines. Under Graff's ownership and the skilled Morné Vrey, Delaire Graff wines have regularly won international and national awards and the estate has become established as one of the best in South Africa.

