

Sauvignon Blanc Melck's Stellenbosch Muratie

MURATIE
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The Producer:

Muratie, a family owned estate, was established in the 17th century by Europe-an colonialists, although as a name Muratie was not used until the early 1900s. The estate is in the shadow of the Simonsberg mountain north of Stellenbosch, east of Cape Town and consists of 44ha of vineyards. Sauvignon Blanc is South Africa's third most important variety after Chenin Blanc and Colombard.

The Wine:

Grape: Sauvignon Blanc 100%
Area: The grapes are from several estate vineyards to the north of Stellenbosch
Harvest: Hand harvested in multiple passes for diversity of flavour
Vinification: After destalking & crushing the wine is fermented in stainless steel vats at 12-16 degrees C.
Ageing: The wine stored in stainless steel vats until required for bottling.

Tasting Notes:

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Code: 7206
ABV: 13%
Pack: 6*75cl
Vegan: Yes
Vegetarian: Yes
Closure: Screwcap

