Daschbosch Mossiesdrift Steen, WO Breedekloof 2023

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2023 Vintage

Daschbosch

— Breedekloof, South Africa

The Wine Merchant Top 100 Top 100 2025

A fine example of old vine Chenin Blanc from a 60 year old vineyard in Breedekloof. A standout wine in the excellent Daschbosch range of 'heritage' wines, one of the region's star producers. 2025 Wine Merchant Top 100 winner, 2023 vintage.

Production

Bush vine Chenin Blanc from Breedekloof on the eastern border of Paarl, planted in 1962 on the Mossiesdrift farm which is registered as part of South Africa's Old Vine Project. These naturally low yielding vines produce 4-5 tonnes per hectare, hand picked in the middle of March. The grapes were de-stemmed and crushed, then cold soaked and slowly fermentated at 15-22°C to enhance flavours. Fermentation took place in 3rd & 4th fill barrels for about 3 weeks with a combination of wild and selected yeast strains, then left on the thick lees for 6 months and barrel aged for 8 months.

Tasting note

Ripe and complex aromas of mango and citrus with butterscotch and spicy notes. Ripe, concentrated fruit and a creamy, textural palate are offset by taut acidity giving focus to the intense yet restrained peach and dried apricot flavours. An impressive, elegant old vine Chenin with great purity of fruit and notable length.

Food Match

Perfect with creamy chicken and seafood dishes.

ABV:
13.00%

Case/Bottle Size:
6x 75cl

Closure:
Cork

Category:
Sustainable

Appellation:
WO Breedekloof

Winemaker:
Mikheil Khmelidze

Grape Varieties:
Chenin Blanc 100%

Suitable for:
Vegan

Allergen Info:
Contains Sulphites and No Other Allergens

Bottle Barcode:
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