



BEAUMONT Chenin Blanc 2022

**Country**

South Africa

Region

Western Cape

Appellation

Bot River - Walker Bay

Winemaker

Sebastian Beaumont

Varietal Blend

100% Chenin Blanc

Alcohol Content

12.34%

Total Acidity

6.5 g/L

Residual Sugar

5.4 g/L

pH

3.25

HISTORY

Beaumont is a charming family-run farm and winery situated in the quaint Overberg Village of Bot River. The farm is home to the region's oldest wine cellar and is steeped in history dating back to the 1700's. In 2004, Sebastian Beaumont, having honed his skills working in the vineyards took over the reins in the cellar and has continued to build the Beaumont reputation. Since their first vintage in 1996, Beaumont we have committed to making a style of Chenin that captures the purity of the grape.

VINIFICATION and MATURATION

Made from Beaumont's Bot River fruit. The vintage produced plenty grapes with good concentration following a beautiful and healthy growing season. Good cold winter with lots of rain followed through to the summer. Cool conditions persisted right through the ripening time allowing the fruit to develop lots of intensity on the vine. Early picking occurred to preserve freshness, and balance in the wine. Beaumont's new press produced gave a very clean juice. Long slow fermentation in concrete and stainless steel tanks using a combination of cultured and natural yeasts. Matured for 4 months on the lees in tank to add some extra weight and complexity.

TASTING NOTES

This is a fruit filled unwooded Chenin Blanc. Punchy and full of character with notes of citrus and pineapple.