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**VERGELEGEN**



## **FLAGSHIP VERGELEGEN G.V.B. WHITE 2012**

### **Origin**

The Semillon was planted in 1991 on the south facing Korhaan flats at 220m above sea level. The Sauvignon Blanc grapes used in this blend come from the 20-year old Schaapenberg vineyard. This single vineyard is planted some 320m above sea level and directly south facing. The row direction is east-west and the vineyards are planted to 2 clones, 316 and 317.

### **Vinification**

Both Semillon and Sauvignon grapes were hand-picked, the Semillon a week after the Sauvignon, whole bunch pressed and barrel fermented; the Semillon in 50% new, 50% 2nd, 3rd and 4th fill, 225 liter barrels and the Sauvignon in 500 liter barrels, 25% new. The wines were matured for 9 months before bottling on 18 December 2012.

### **Composition**

56% Schaapenberg Sauvignon Blanc  
44% Semillon

### **Analysis**

13.21% Alc  
3.0g/l RS  
7.2/l TA  
3.05 pH

### **Maturation**

Drink now or up to a decade after the vintage.

### **Tasting Note**

Pale green color with full ripe Semillon flavours dominating. The wine is rich and complex with a long aftertaste. Serve at 12-14°C. Most enjoyable with oysters, crayfish, poultry and fish.