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## FLAGSHIP G.V.B. WHITE- ESTATE WINE 2021

### TASTING NOTES

Tight, focused and beautifully integrated with herbal (fynbos), grapefruit flavours, ripe tropical notes, and a long, focused aftertaste. Enjoy with fresh seafood. Probably one of our best vintages ever and without a doubt one of the great white wines of the world. Total production amounts to 2997 standard bottles. Stock piling is recommended!

### ORIGIN

The Semillon was planted in 1991 on the south facing Korhaan flats at 220 m above sea level. The Sauvignon Blanc grapes used in this blend come from the 33-year-old Schaapenberg Vineyard. This single vineyard Sauvignon is planted 320 m above sea level and directly south facing. The row direction is east-west, and the vineyards are planted to 2 clones, 316 and 317, both from the Loire Valley. The Schaapenberg vineyard was uprooted after the harvest.

### VINIFICATION

Both Semillon and Sauvignon grapes were hand-picked, the Semillon 7 days after the Sauvignon, whole bunch pressed and barrel fermented. The Sauvignon was picked on 23 February and the Semillon on the 24th February 2021. The wines were matured for 9 months in barrel before bottling on 8th December 2021. Release date will be August 2022.

### COMPOSITION

Sémillon	78%
Schaapenberg Sauvignon Blanc	22%

### ANALYSIS

Alc	13,41%
RS	2,79 g/l
TA	6,89 g/l
pH	3,05

### MATURATION

Drink upon release or up to a decade later.