

ESTABLISHED IN 1896, TE MATA ESTATE REMAINS FAMILY OWNED, PRODUCING INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNISED WINES EXCLUSIVELY FROM ITS HISTORIC, HAWKE'S BAY VINEYARDS

ESTATE GROWN, ESTATE BOTTLED, ESTATE WINES.



ESTATE SAUVIGNON BLANC '22

SOURCED EXCLUSIVELY FROM TE MATA ESTATE'S OWN VINEYARDS, THE ESTATE WINES REPRESENT THE BEST QUALITIES OF THEIR VARIETY, VINTAGE, AND HAWKE'S BAY ORIGIN.

VINEYARDS

The grapes for Estate Sauvignon Blanc '22 were harvested between 28 February and 16 March 2022 from Te Mata Estate's own vineyards in the Bridge Pā Triangle, Dartmoor and Havelock Hills sub-region of Hawke's Bay.

Hawke's Bay's warm climate and free draining soils produce sauvignon blanc with ripe fruit characters, balanced by fresh acidity.

WINEMAKING

With sauvignon blanc grapes of such quality, minimal winemaking means the finer aromatics and flavours are preserved. At the winery, the grapes were chilled, gently pressed, and the juice cold-settled before fermentation in stainless steel tanks.

TASTING NOTE

Clear, brilliant and crystalline, Estate Sauvignon Blanc '22 appears spun from bright golden light. Lime, passionfruit, guava, and honey-dew melon leap from the glass in this powerful statement of New Zealand's famous sauvignon blanc expression. Beyond, the palate is rich, layered and juicy. A moreish acidity runs the length of this wine, all the way though to its mouth-watering finish. Deliciousness redefined, Estate Sauvignon Blanc '22 has arrived.

FOOD MATCH

Estate Sauvignon Blanc '22 is best served chilled, either as a refreshing pre-dinner glass of wine, or with salads, seafood dishes and lightly spiced Asian foods.

CELLARING POTENTIAL

Estate Sauvignon Blanc '22 can be enjoyed immediately upon release and will continue to develop in bottle for two years from harvest.



TECHNICAL ANALYSIS AT BOTTLING

| pН | 3.43 |
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| Total acidity as tartaric | 7.2gpl |
| Alcohol | 13.0% |
| Residual Sugar | Dry |