

# LEVANT

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## 2022 LEVANT SAUVIGNON BLANC



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| Vintage           | 2022   |
| Varietal blend    | 94% Sauvignon Blanc, 6% Semillon   |
| Harvest date(s)   | 15 March 2022  |
| Bottling date     | 22 December 2022   |
| Oak treatment     | Fermented in large-format French oak casks   |
| pH/TA             | 3.43 pH 5.7g/L TA  |
| Preservative(s)   | 220  |
| Alcohol content   | 12.5%  |
| Winemaking        | Grapes were whole-bunch pressed. Juice settled overnight, then coarsely racked to oak foudre for fermentation. The resultant wines were aged on settled lees with minimal stirring. 100% malolactic fermentation was undertaken on a select number of barrels for enhanced richness and complexity.  |
| Winemaker's notes | <p>Aromas of jasmine, caperberry, rock melon, spearmint, tangelo, and almond biscotti with a subtle savoury undercurrent of bay leaf and flinty complexity.</p> <p>The palate is deep, long and flavourful with tight lines of Golden Delicious apple, lemon verbena and petrichor tones washing over a refreshing base of integrated acidity.</p> <p>Aging potential: 5+ years</p> <p>This wine is suitable for vegans.</p> |