

# sauvignon blanc 2014

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A pure expression of Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc, kaffir lime, gooseberry, honeydew melon and fresh herbal aromas are abundant. Dry in style with juicy acidity to complement, allowing the purity of flavours to shine.

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## VINTAGE SUMMARY

Harvest commenced earlier than usual in Marlborough with certain vineyards being picked 2 weeks ahead of average, this can be attributed to the wonderfully warm start to the growing season, early flowering and a dry spring. We are thankful for this as the cool January and threat of late season rain, compressed the season considerably.

We are very happy with our 2014 vintage Maude Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc, flavours are concentrated and fresh, the palate is refined style with wonderful balance. Once again we believe the essence of the region and grape variety is captured in this wine.

## VINIFICATION

Selected parcels of Sauvignon Blanc were harvested individually. In the winery careful winemaking techniques are adopted, from the ferment to the bottling of the wine, to retain the purity & enhance the intensity of flavours and aromas of this classic Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc.



VINEYARDS	BOTTLING DATE	QTY BOTTLED	RESIDUAL SUGAR	ALCOHOL	pH	ACIDITY
Wairau Valley	31st July 2014	1200 Dozen	5 g/L	13% VOL	3.31	6.6 g/L