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ESTATE SERIES
ULTRA PREMIUM WINE KIT



Selection Estate Wine Series, our ultra-premium wine kit has redefined the winemaking product landscape by offering a limited number of prestigious wine styles sourced from select vineyards in the world's great wine producing regions.

Selection Estate Wine Series showcases the finest 100% pure varietal grape juice and concentrate with no sugars added, creating wines of superior flavour, aroma and complexity.

NEW ZEALAND MARLBOROUGH SAUVIGNON BLANC

Appellation: Wairau Valley, Marlborough, South Island, New Zealand

Style: France used to be the standard-bearer for Sauvignon Blanc, with flinty Sancerre and Pouilly Fumé, rounded White Bordeaux, with some help from California interlopers. In one single year (1985) that all changed, when New Zealand produced its first vintage. Overnight, the world had a new model for Sauvignon Blanc, startlingly different and delicious.

Marlborough has the sunniest, driest climate in New Zealand, and the Wairau Valley's rich soils combine with the cool nights to deliver astonishingly pungent wines, with gooseberry, herbs, pink grapefruit, fresh-cut grass, asparagus, lime-leaf, tropical fruit, passion fruit, and a host of other beguiling aromas. Few wines ever achieve the amazing aromatic complexity and zesty fruit of New Zealand Sauvignon Blanc.

The expression of this amazing explosion of fruit is aided by our special proprietary yeast: by careful management of the yeast strain, Selection Estate New Zealand Marlborough Sauvignon Blanc casts long, rich flavours, redolent with grass and currant leaves, and a crisp dry finish.

Harvest Conditions: pH 3.37, Brix 20.3°, T.A. 7.2 g/l

Similar Styles: This is the first wine kit of its kind in that it is made with pure juice and concentrate actually harvested in New Zealand. This gives it authentic aromatics and fruit forward flavours never before achieved in a winemaking kit.

Food Pairings: Oysters, scallops, salmon, spicy food (Hunan Chinese is spectacular!), asparagus, herbed roast chicken and crab.

Sweetness Code: 0 (dry)

Alcohol by Volume: 12.5%

Ageing: Snappy, refreshing and delicious after only three months, this white wine will age gorgeously for two years, but really rewards prompt drinking with fruity freshness.



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