

Windows Estate Petit Lot Semillon Sauvignon Blanc

This wine is our somewhat more layered and complex take on Margaret River's classic white blend. The Semillon is the dominant wine in this blend, making up 68% proportion of the blend. The focus with this wine is on picking the grapes when the vineyard's canopy was in good condition and the juice's natural acidity still high. The Semillon component comes from our main vineyard planted on an Ironstone/laterite ridge and contributes beautiful grassy, citrus characters to the blend. The Sauvignon Blanc (27%) on the other hand was grown in soil with a greater clay/quartz component, providing fresh and zesty aromatics and a mineral acidity to the final blend. A small proportion of Chardonnay (5%) brings an unparalleled degree of depth. All components have been fermented with natural yeasts and a portion of the final blend has been aged for 9 months in French barriques, providing a texture and complexity to the wine., whilst still delivering a fresh finish. A complex textural wine that will age gracefully for 5+ years and will develop richness with time in the bottle.

"There's the slightest touch here of something herbaceous, but it's well matched with justpicked apricots and citrus. Bright and steely on the medium-bodied palate, this finishes fresh" – James Suckling

"Bright, light yellow colour, with a fresh, lifted bouqet of varietal sauvignon blanc fruit and nicely harmonised spicy oak. A Graves-like aroma, it's intense and refined; jumpy acidity keeps it fresh and alive. Clean, dry finish." Huon Hooke

"A powerhouse, where citrus flavours shine through, added to by sensitive use of oak." Fergal Gleeson

Producer: Windows Estate

Winemaker: Chris & Jo Davies

Country of Origin: Australia

Region of Origin: Margaret River

Grapes: Semillon (68%), Sauvignon Blanc (27%), Chardonnay (5%)

ABV: 12.5%

Closure Type: screwcap

