

## Sauvignon Blanc 2024



VINEYARD Ascona APPELLATION Santa Cruz Mountains COUNTY Santa Cruz

ALCOHOL BY VOLUME 13.4%

VOLUME 750ML **AROMA** 

iasmine. kev lime. wet stone

FLAVOR

chervil,

yellow plum

**FOOD PAIRINGS** gazpacho,

steamed clams,

kiwi,

3.11 RESIDUAL SUGAR

PH BALANCE

6.8 g/L BRIX 22.5°

TOTAL ACIDITY

0.5 g/L

VINIFICATION

1.46 T of micro-sized clusters were hand-harvested on September 9th. Fruit was whole-cluster pressed into a one neutral barrique and 2 cigarshaped barrels. Fermented on wild

yeasts and aged on the lees for 10-months with no stirring. goat cheese omelette

Bottled unfined/unfiltered

SITE

This exposed ranch at the crest of the Santa Cruz Mountains sits above the fogline at 2400' on a thin layer of Vagueros sandstone and sandy loam with rock just below. A rare clone of Alto Adigean Sauvignon Blanc planted in 2018 seems well suited to this mountainous aspect. Facing west and just 15 mies from the foggy Pacific, this marginal zone requires a dedicated viticultural approach. Growers Ken + Abbey Swegles, who farm it organically, are up to the task.

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