



Fact Sheet

J.C. Le Roux La Fleurette

The House of J.C. Le Roux

The House of J.C. Le Roux was South Africa's first cellar dedicated entirely to the craft of making sparkling wine. Located in the heart of picturesque Devon Valley on the outskirts of Stellenbosch, the cellar is the country's leading sparkling wine producer and is recognised for its passion, craftsmanship and expertise, making fun loving bubbly and fine vintage Cap Classiques to suit every palate.

The vineyards (Viticulturist: Bennie Liebenberg)

The grapes were sourced from selected vineyards in the Western Cape planted at altitudes ranging from 50 to 300 metres above sea level to impart complexity to the wine. Pest and disease control was implemented according to South African subjective IPW standards. Most of the vines received supplementary irrigation while some were grown under dryland conditions. All the vines were trellised and grafted on Phylloxera resistant rootstocks.

The winemaking (Elunda Basson)

This sparkling wine is made of a blend of carefully selected white and red grape varieties. It consists of 60% Sauvignon blanc, 15% White Muscadell, 20% Pinotage, and 5% Shiraz. The grapes were harvested by hand at 21,5° - 23,7° Balling and placed in small baskets to prevent bruising. The colour was extracted from the skins during the first 24 hours in the cellar. After fermentation for 7 days, the juice was kept cold and sweet until bottling, where the sparkle is created by impregnating the wine with CO².

Winemaker's comments

This is a lively, passion pink sparkling wine that entices all the senses. It reveals a delightful melange of sweet, fruity flavours with hints of strawberry, plum and tropical fruit. This exuberant bubbly perfectly balances freshness and sweetness with its playful palate of sweet strawberry and sensual plum flavours followed by the richness of Muscat. It is pure femininity in a bottle and is sure to uplift your spirit.

Analysis

Residual Sugar	75 g/l
Extract	101,9 g/l
Alcohol	7,5 vol %
Acidity	6,5 g/l
pH	3,4