



GRANDE PROVENCE

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*Heritage Wine Estate*

FRANSCHHOEK · SOUTH AFRICA

## Grande Provence Chardonnay 2019

### AWARDS

### WINE OF ORIGIN

Franschhoek

### VINTAGE

2019

### ANALYSIS

Alc	13.5 vol %
pH	3.50
RS	4 g/l
TA	5.3 g/l

### VINIFICATION

The Chardonnay grapes come from the Robertsvlei valley in Franschhoek. With temperatures of up to 5°C cooler than the Franschhoek valley floor, this is ideal for the cultivation of this noble variety. A longer ripening period, moderate rainfall and open canopies allow the sunshine to yellow the grapes resulting in concentrated fruit flavours.

The wine was matured for 11 months in 35% first fill, 40% second fill 15% and third fill 500L French oak barrels, the remaining 10% was fermented in an egg shaped vessel to increase the richness and mouth feel of the wine.

### STYLE

Our wooded 2019 vintage is an elegant, medium-bodied wine with outstanding fruit and wood integration. Experience melons, citrus, pineapple, fresh cut parsley, almonds and creamy notes with nuances of vanilla. The wine has focused acidity on the palate with an elegant fruit driven, and slight mineral lingering finish supported by the oak.

### SERVING SUGGESTION

Sip this beautifully textured wine with smoked fish and creamy seafood dishes. It also works well with roasted pork or chicken.

