

# CHARDONNAY, INDABA

indaba wines

Vintage

2019



# TECHNICAL ANALYSIS

| Alcohol | Residual sugar |
|---------|----------------|
| 13.5    | 2.6            |
| рН      | Acidity        |
| 3.48    | 6.0            |

A commitment to social responsibility is integral to the Indaba philosophy, and a portion of the sales supports early education for workers' children.

#### TASTING NOTE

Vibrant tropical fruit aromas lead to a crisp, fresh palate with mouth-filling flavours of apple, pear, honey and pineapple. A whisper of oak adds a creamy butterscotch nuance and wonderful depth.

# VINTAGE CONDITIONS

The very dry, warm weather conditions throughout the 2019 harvest resulted in healthy grapes and small berries with good intensity. Despite the drought conditions yields were good in the general Coastal and Breed river area. The vintage was free of disease and vine stress, and the vines were able to carry the crop to optimum ripeness.

#### VINIFICATION DETAILS

The grapes were picked in the cool early morning hours. They were de-stemmed and gently pressed with the juice settling overnight. Most of the wine was cold fermented in stainless steel tanks to create a bright, fruit-driven final product. A small portion was fermented in new 225 litre French oak barrels, with weekly bâtonnage. The wine was aged on its fine lees for several months to develop further in complexity.

#### **ATTRIBUTES**

