



## DEAKIN ESTATE

### Deakin Estate 2005 Sauvignon Blanc

**Grape Variety:**  
Sauvignon Blanc

**Region:**  
The fruit for this wine was harvested from our Deakin Estate vineyard in Red Cliffs, North West Victoria.

**Harvest Date:**  
Early February.

**Vinification:**  
Picking decisions make this wine. We need to be on the edge of herbaceous just moving into sub-tropical. Cold fermentation then careful blending and finishing follow which has produced a wine with complexity and excellent balance.

**Winemakers Comments: Phil Spillman**

**Colour:**  
Very pale straw with a fresh lime green tinge.

**Nose:**  
Fresh, pungent and green with feijoa, firm pear and a splash of lime.

**Palate:**  
Delicious, savoury and fruity with lemongrass, coriander, lime and feijoa. Light bodied and zingy.

**Wine Specifications:**  
Alc/Vol: 12.0%      pH: 3.10      Acidity: 7.1g/l

**Cellaring Potential:**  
Best enjoyed within two years from vintage. Serve chilled.

**Ideal Food Matches:**  
Brilliant with many aromatic Thai dishes, especially where coriander seeds or kaffir lime leaves are used.

