



92 POINTS

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Descorchados, 2017

VINTAGE 2016

VARIETAL COMPOSITION

100% Sauvignon Blanc

AVG. VINEYARD ELEVATION

750 feet

AVG. AGE OF VINES 9 years

ALCOHOL 12.5%

CASES IMPORTED 1,500

SUGGESTED RETAIL PRICE \$18

UPC 835603002720

Bo
ya

SAUVIGNON BLANC 2016

The perfect balance of lime-tinged fruit and natural acidity with a clean, refined finish.

WINERY BACKGROUND: Bo ya was created by the Garcés Silva family, pioneers of the coastal Leyda Valley in Chile. Bo ya in Spanish means “buoy” – an appropriate name for a wine coming from vineyard blocks that overlook the Pacific Ocean. The winery’s architecture is inspired by its environment, and the surrounding rolling hills determine the different levels of the winery. The wine decants by gravity, a winemaking practice that preserves its aromatic potential and natural structure.

VINEYARD & WINEMAKING DETAILS: The sea breeze sweeps away excess humidity and regulates temperatures, resulting in harvests two weeks later than in the other maritime-influenced valleys in the area. The harvest is completely by hand, as is the selection of bunches and grapes. Bo ya Sauvignon Blanc comes from blocks that are mainly granitic soils with some clay. The wine goes through a short cold soak but no malolactic fermentation, and is then aged in stainless steel before being bottled.

TASTING NOTES & FOOD PAIRING SUGGESTIONS: An attractive nose of fresh white flowers and pineapple with hints of mango and passion fruit. The palate is well-balanced with beautiful acidity, lively lime-tinged fruit and a refined, crisp finish. Pair with grilled calamari, poached lobster, or an asparagus goat cheese tart.



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