Paysan Sauvignon Blanc

Le P'tit Paysan (I. Brand)

United States - California - Arroyo Seco

Paysan Sauvignon Blanc comes from Zabala Vineyard - located on a large holding on the Arroyo Seco floodplains that was part of land granted to the Zabala family before California's statehood. It was first planted in the 1970s and has grown to encompass over 1000 acres. Zabala Vineyard is one of the rockiest vineyard I Brand works with, full of what is locally known as 'Greenfield Potatoes', which are the rather inedible round river stones that dominate the soil and have been collected into piles and walls at every property in the basin. This vineyard is located directly in the path of the daily Salinas Valley winds, which control sugar development and retain natural acidity. Certified organic grapes.

<u>Tasting Notes</u>: Light-bodied. Aromatic explosion on the nose. Lime, gooseberry, green melon, grapefruit, white peach, passion fruit. Crisp, tart, clean with bright acidity on the palate. Neutral oak ageing provides subtle creaminess, while still exhibiting trademark green notes.

Specifications	
Appellation	Arroyo Seco
Wine Type	White
Varietals	100% Sauvignon Blanc
Age of Vines	50+ years
Agricultural Practices	Organic
Soil type	Sandy, rocky, granitic, porous soil
Vinification	Musque clone SB. Picked around 21.7 brix with bright natural acidity. Fermented in stainless steel, aged sur lie in 3/4 stainless, 1/4 neutral barrel for 7 months. Arrested malic.
Production	1,700 (9-liter cases)



Codes, Weights and Measures

UPC	8 59978 00509 4
Units/Case	12
Unit Size	750 mL
Container	bottle
SCC	1 08 59978 00509 1
Case Weight	38
Cases/Pallet	56
Layers/Pallet	14
SRP	\$ 25.99 USD 750mL Bottle