



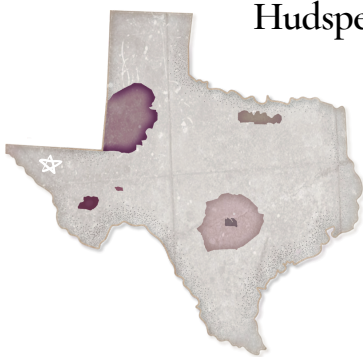
Focused on Texas grown wines made in an Old World style with low-intervention winemaking. Since 2008, founders William "Bill" Blackmon and Chris Brundrett have sourced grapes from Estate vineyards and partners alike, prizing sustainable practices and the expression of Texan terroir.

2022 CHENIN BLANC Dell Valley Vineyard

The versatile grape Chenin Blanc is famed for its ability to retain freshness in warm, and even hot climates. Incredibly, it is possible to plant this grape in the desert of West Texas, and still make a high-toned wine of minerality and delicacy. Dell Valley Vineyard fruit is some of our most consistent, quality fruit each year.

VARIETIES: 100% Chenin Blanc

Vineyard: Dell Valley Vineyard



Hudspeth County, Texas

Originally planted in 1987, the vines at Dell Valley Vineyard are thick and deeply rooted in the sloped sandy, caliche type soils of West Texas. Sitting outside of any currently designated American Viticultural Area, or AVA, this vineyard is mightily tended by Phillipe, whose experience with growing grapevines began at an early age on the French island of Corsica.

2022 VINTAGE: One of the driest vintages of the last few decades. About 40% reduced yield, heat that spurred ripening, and rain around harvest time led to an interesting, one-of-a-kind vintage.

TASTING NOTES

White flowers and sea breeze with lemon drop dripping through the soft, perfume aroma. The palate is a laser-beam, with a mouth watering effect that makes every dry sip seem creamier and fresher than before. Light-bodied, dry, and perfect for a hot day and salty dishes.

FOOD PAIRING



Any light-bodied dish with a citrus or vinegar component will make this wine sing!



WINEMAKING: All free run juice fermented in stainless steel tanks for 25 days at 49 degrees.

Aged for 5 months in stainless steel tanks.

AGE OF VINES: Over 10 years

Serve at 42°F

ELEVATION: 3,650 - 5,000 ft

Drink now to 2027

SOIL TYPE: Sandy loam over caliche soil

ABV: 11.2% | TA: 7.32 g/L | pH: 3.39 | RS: 0.20 g/L

CASES PRODUCED: 964



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100% Texas grown wines.