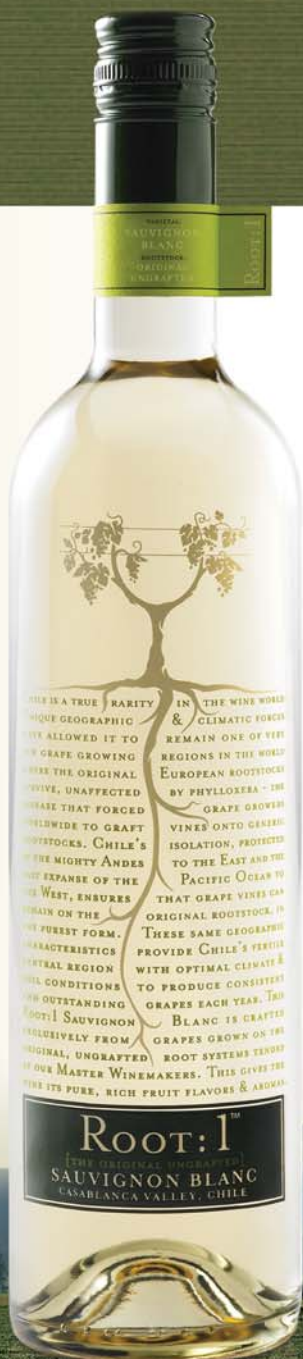


Root:1™

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Chile's unique geography makes it one of very few grape-growing regions in the world where original European rootstock has been unaffected by phylloxera. While most vineyards around the world are planted on grafted rootstock, Root:1 is grown on pure, ungrafted roots, producing a Sauvignon Blanc with intense fruit flavor and authentic varietal character.

Sauvignon Blanc 2010



APPELLATION:	Casablanca Valley, Chile
WINEMAKER:	Felipe Tosso
WINERY:	Viña Ventisquero
VINTAGE:	2010
VARIETAL(S):	100% Sauvignon Blanc
TOTAL ACIDITY:	6.5 g/L
ALCOHOL:	13.0%
pH:	3.2

VINEYARDS: Root:1 Sauvignon Blanc vineyards are located in Tapihue, a central portion of Chile's famed Casablanca Valley that sits less than 15 miles from the Pacific Ocean. Maritime breezes keep temperatures cool while the bright daytime sun encourages a lengthy growing season resulting in wines with bright, tropical and citrus flavors.

VINTAGE NOTES: 2010 was a very memorable growing season. A cold spring delayed budbreak and veraison by several weeks, and was then followed by one of the coolest summers in memory for Casablanca. The low temperatures produced small, slow ripening yields, about 30% less than a normal year, and resulted in classic, highly concentrated flavors; an outstanding vintage of Sauvignon Blanc.

WINEMAKING: Fermentation was carried out gradually to maximize the extraction of the fruit and mineral aromas. After completing fermentation, the wine remained *sur lie* for 2 months to broaden the palate richness.

TASTING NOTES: Concentrated aromas with tropical fruit and citrus notes. Great acidity with fresh lime and grapefruit balanced by soft minerality on the palate. Bright and crisp with rich fruit expression, and an elegant finish.

FOOD PAIRINGS: Root:1 Sauvignon Blanc is an extremely food-friendly wine that pairs beautifully with fresh cheeses, seafood, grilled pork, or fresh lime chicken tacos. A lively match with spicy, crunchy Asian dishes, or spinach, almond and mandarin salad.