

MONTE XANIC

Chenin Colombard 2009

Guadalupe Valley, Baja California, Mexico



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Wine Specifications

Blend Percentage	98% Chenin Blanc and 2% Colombard
Alcohol	13.0%
T/A	0.60 g/100ml
pH	2.96
Residual Sugar	.59 g/100ml
Brix at Harvest	22.5
Cellaring	Drink now
Harvest Dates	August 22 – September 9, 2009

Vineyards

Location

Siete Leguas vineyard, Valle de Guadalupe, Baja California

Soils

Clay over granite

Vines

Conventional vineyard practices

Vintage

This year had a late bud break, but the weather was mild and constant. Then in August there was a major heat spike, but careful attention to the vines created an excellent vintage.

Vinification

Hand-harvested. Night-picked in half-ton bins, hand-sorted with a vibrating table. Pneumatic pressed and cold-fermented in 4000 gallon vats. No malolactic, no lees aging.

Winemaker's Notes

Overall Impression

Fresh, easy, and delicate.

Bouquet

Green apple, pear, and honey.

Palate

Honey, pear, and peach.

Serving Suggestions

As an aperitif, or with appetizers or light meals. Great with sushi and spicy fare (Indian, Thai, Mexican...) Best Service Temp: 46 ° F

SRP US\$15

Website

www.montexanic.com



- "...recognized as Mexico's first boutique winery." *WineriesinBaja.com*
- "Forty-two luxury villas will make up the Banyan Tree at Monte Xanic, making the winery a true destination for visitors." *Tour & Tasting Magazine*
- "Wineries like Monte Xanic were soon achieving levels of quality that blew other producers away." *Tina Caputo, WineX Magazine*
- "If price defines quality, Monte Xanic is Mexico's best." *Jetsettersmagazine.com*

