



HILL FAMILY
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2006 Sauvignon Blanc

Production: 463 cases

Composition: 100% Sauvignon Blanc

Vineyards: Hoxsey “Yount Mill Blockhouse”

Appellation: Napa Valley or Yountville

Elevation: Valley Floor

Cooperage: 4 ½ months in French oak barrels

Alcohol: 13.86%, TA 0.66, pH 3.33

The 2006 Hill Family Estate Sauvignon Blanc was picked fairly ripe to emphasize the citrus and melon aspects of Sauvignon Blanc. The Yount Mill Vineyard south-east of the Yountville Knoll has perfect soils and some of the best older vine choices for Sauvignon Blanc, with excellent natural acidity and honey and fig flavors.

Winemaker Alison Doran’s Tasting notes:

This wine has a lovely nose of fresh melon and fig with just a hint of herbal vanilla. The palate opens rich and full, but finishes dry and crisp, with green melon and gooseberry flavors and a hint of sage.