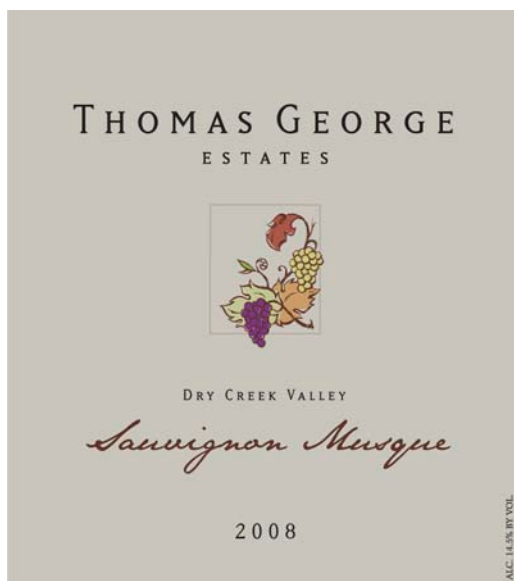


THOMAS GEORGE  
ESTATES



2008  
Dry Creek  
**Sauvignon Musque**

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**%EtOH:**

14.5%

**pH / Ta**

3.23 / 6.1 g/L

**Case Production:**

188 Cases

**Barrels:**

100% Stainless Steel

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**About the Wine:**

Our sauvignon musque is harvested from a 2 acre vineyard in the southwest Dry Creek Valley. Yields are relatively low at 3 tons per acre, and the concentration of flavor in the resulting fruit is excellent.

At the winery, the fruit is de-stemmed and gently pressed into stainless steel tanks for a three week, cool fermentation. Once dry, we rack to clean stainless steel and leave the wine alone in order to preserve the freshness of flavor that is inherent in the variety.

Here is a wine with explosive aromatics of stone fruit and tropical flowers. With so little winemaker intervention the wine is true to its variety. On the palate the fresh fruit flavors are balanced with citrus and spice notes leading to a long, clean, and eminently enjoyable finish.