

Home Block Moutere Pinot Gris 2021

Unconventional | Alluring | Exotic

Organically Certified BioGro 5438

Moutere Clay Gravels | Single Vineyard Low Cropping Hand Harvested | Wild Ferment | 100% Old Barrel Ferment Unfined | Vegan

"This works at a number of speeds, texture is serious, flavour is detailed and compact, green melon, green mango, mint and grassy notes, fennel too.

Really lovely. Great lick of chalky pucker.

Sophisticated stuff here." Mike Bennie, AUS (2020 Vintage)

This Pinot Gris is noble.

A wine that exudes elegance, Home Block Moutere Pinot Gris is a deeply serious example of this widely loved aromatic.

Beautifully round, this wine has a flirtatious prickle of white pepper on the finish which lifts the wine into a new dimension.

100% barrel aged, the palate is long and concentrated. Classical Gris notes of orange blossom, wild ginger and rose water are woven together with a seam of chalky river stone minerality.

The result - a sophisticated, restrained and harmonious wine.

Drink lightly chilled alongside dishes abundant with cardamom, cloves and anise.

"Complex, pure, enticing and intriguing bouquet with layers of elderflower, fruit spice then fresh green pears and honeysuckle, some apple and leesy complexity. Even better on the palate with a fine mealy texture, fresh acid line and a core of flavours that mirror the nose. Balanced, even, lengthy and delicious. Drinking perfectly from today and through 2025+. An excellent food wine choice as well, suited to salads and vegan dishes, seafood pasta and tomato consommé. 94 Points. Excellent."

Cameron Douglas MS, NZ (2020 Vintage)





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Vineyard Detail

Site: Home Block - Upper Moutere, Nelson

Aspect: 60m Elveation, North Facing

Soil Type: Moutere Clay Gravels

Soil Composition: Clay Loam, with small

pebbles in upper horizon.

Vineyard Established: 1978

Farming: Dry Farmed, Organic (Biogro: #5438)

Variety: 100% Pinot Gris

Clonal Selection: 457, 2/15, 7A, Mission

Hand Harvested: 100%

Seasonal Detail: Mild Winter, Erratic Spring,

Cool - Moderate Summer, Dry Autumn.

Winemaking Detail

Harvest: 12th & 17th March 2021

Processing: 100% whole bunch press on gentle cycle. Cool settled for 48 hours and racked

Fermentation: 100% Wild Yeast

Fermentation Vessel: 100% Puncheon (neutral)

Malolactic: None

Fining: None Filtration: Sterile Vegan: Yes

Bottling Analysis: 13.5% Alc, 3.32 pH, 5.9 g/L

TA, 4.0 g/L Residual Sugar

Full Bottle Weight: 1,165 g