



**BABICH**

NEW ZEALAND WINE  
SINCE 1916

FAMILY ESTATES:

# Marlborough Organic Pinot Noir 2020

Babich Wines has been producing organically grown grapes from our estate-owned vineyards for over 15 years.

The Family Estates range wines deliver stunning expressions of variety and vineyard, along with the sophisticated drinkability that Babich is famous for around the world.



## INFORMATION

Grape Varieties	Pinot Noir
Region	Marlborough
Sub region	Wairau Valley
Vineyard/s	Headwaters
Clonal Selection	Olive Block: 48% 667; 47% 777 & 5% 114.
Harvest method	Machine
Harvest date	23rd March
Harvest Analysis	Brix 23.3; pH 3.63; T.A. 6.3g/L
Processing	Machine harvested - destemmed in vineyard. Seven days cold soaking prior to ferment. Four weeks on skins in total.
Fermentation vessel	Open top vats
Fermentation	100% Wild Ferments with indigenous yeast.
Malolactic	Yes, in barrels
Maturation	7.5 months in barrel
Fining	Pea Protein
Filtration	Yes



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A medium-bodied, smooth style Pinot Noir produced from our organic certified Headwaters Vineyard in the Wairau Valley. Finely textured layers of black cherry and plum flavours, with hints of nutmeg and liquorice.



## TECHNICAL NOTES

Alcohol	13.5%
TA	5.9g/L
pH	3.5
Residual sugar	Dry

## WINEMAKER NOTES

### Nose:

Ethereal floral notes float above dark fruits, earthy spice, and vanilla. Some strawberry aromas also..

### Palate:

Forest floor and sweet fruits - think of Doris plum and raspberry/ red liquorish. Solid, dense and smoothly structure with a warm spicy finish. Brooding but layered with juicy red elements.

Recommended food	Would go well with wild game or salmon.
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First vintage	2014
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## AWARDS



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