



HARVEST DETAILS

CLONE

115 / 777

VINEYARD

Diamond Block, Torr

SOIL

A mix of fine loess, clay and subsoil schist

HARVEST DATE

04/04/2019

BRIX

23.5

TITRATABLE ACIDITY

6.80 g/l

PH

3.35

WINE ANALYSIS

ALCOHOL

14%

RESIDUAL SUGAR

N/A

TITRATABLE ACIDITY

5.1 g/l

PH

3.65

BENDIGO SINGLE VINEYARD

DIAMOND

2019 PINOT NOIR

The Diamond Pinot Noir reveals Pisa's interesting interplay of creamy delicacy and spice.

SINGLE VINEYARD

Drawing from Gibbston Valley's™ most intriguing vineyards, the Single Vineyard range gives full voice to site.

2019 PISA GROWING SEASON

A very high quality vintage, in spite of a severe October frost. Warm spring and summer conditions gave even bunch weights and moderate yields. Benign conditions continued through to picking, with sufficient rainfall to keep vines healthy. Fruit at harvest was in beautiful condition.

VINEYARD

The Diamond block is part of the Torr vineyard, located in Pisa, Central Otago. Wines from the western side of Lake Dunstan have a refined beauty. Located on the lower terrace above the Cromwell basin floor (230m), it has 2 clones of Pinot Noir planted over 3 hectares.

WINEMAKING DETAILS

Two clones were separated into small fermenters, with a different proportion of whole cluster used, 0% and 100%. Maceration time varied from 14-28 days, depending on the percentage of whole cluster. After indigenous fermentation, the wine was pressed to barrel for 10 months, with 20% new oak used. The final blend has 60% whole cluster.

AROMA AND PALATE

The wine leads with a delightful nose of red and dark fruits, offset by whole cluster notes. The lift of the fruit carries through the palate, developing into a medium bodied, yet graceful flow. Whilst the fruit remains light footed throughout, a line of stem infused tannin cleanses and propels the finish.

CELLARING

Beautiful drinking for the next 5 years, and will cellar for 10.

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