

Te MATA

ESTATE 1896

ESTABLISHED IN 1896, TE MATA ESTATE REMAINS FAMILY OWNED, PRODUCING INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNISED WINES EXCLUSIVELY FROM ITS HISTORIC, HAWKE'S BAY VINEYARDS

ESTATE GROWN. ESTATE BOTTLED. ESTATE WINES.



ESTATE SYRAH '21

SOURCED EXCLUSIVELY FROM TE MATA ESTATE'S OWN VINEYARDS, THE ESTATE WINES REPRESENT THE BEST QUALITIES OF THEIR VARIETY, VINTAGE, AND HAWKE'S BAY ORIGIN.

VINEYARDS

Estate Syrah '21 was harvested between 19 and 26 March 2021 from Te Mata Estate's own vineyards in Hawke's Bay's Dartmoor, Bridge Pa Triangle and Gimblett Gravels sub-regions.

WINEMAKING

The individual parcels of syrah from each plot were destemmed for fermentation and remained on skins for extended maceration before pressing. It was then run off to a mixture of new and seasoned French oak barrels for 12 months' maturation, during which time it was regularly topped and raked. The wine received a traditional egg white fining before bottling.

TASTING NOTE

Dark and brooding in the glass, Estate Syrah '21 is ink-black with a vivid magenta edge. The lifted aromatics of concentrated raspberry and crushed violets quickly become layer upon layer of exotic spices, fruit cake, pancetta, vanilla, and cocoa running the length of this wine's luscious palate.

Dense, saturated, ripe, and enticing in its detail – Estate Syrah '21 delivers on every dimension.

FOOD MATCH

Estate Syrah is a wonderful accompaniment to all red meats, savoury and lightly spiced dishes of Mediterranean cuisine, as well as soft cheeses.

CELLARING POTENTIAL

Estate Syrah '21 will continue to evolve in bottle for two to four years from harvest.

TECHNICAL ANALYSIS AT BOTTLING

pH	3.58
Total acidity as tartaric	6.2gpl
Alcohol	13.0%
Residual Sugar	Dry



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