

## BABICH LASTING CHARACTER

# Marlborough Pinot Gris

Crafted from vineyards positioned throughout Marlborough comes this rich, full bodied Pinot Gris. This stunningly juicy wine is dry in style, offering red apple, pear, stone-fruit and spice flavours with a soft, elegant finish.







### WINEMAKER NOTES

Pungent with sweet apple and pear notes leading into lime and a hint of stone fruits and nutmeg. Exuberant.

Pear and ginger immediately apparent leading into baked apple and lingering lime. Lush and creamy with good breadth and focus.

## FOOD RECOMMENDATION

Works well with snapper fillets, rolled in fresh breadcrumbs and shallow fried, or with hot baked ham and glazed kumara.

## **AWARDS**

### INFORMATION

First Vintage 1997

Grape Variety Pinot Gris

Region Marlborough

Clonal Selection N/A

Harvest Method Machine

Harvest Dates 28th March and 5th April

Harvest Analysis Various

Processing Crushed and de-stemmed.

Some skin contact.

Fermentation Vessel Stainless steel tank

Inoculated with various

Fermentation yeasts. Ferment temperature 8-18°C

Malolactic Nil

Fining Yeast Protein

Filtration Yes

## **TECHNICAL NOTES**

Alcohol 13.4%

TA 5.6 g/L

pH 3.4

Residual Sugar 4.1 g/L