



## Reviews & Accolades

### **PINOT GRIS 2016**

#### THE LISTENER MAGAZINE

Michael Cooper, June 2017

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4.5 Stars

Partly barrel-fermented, this is an aromatic, fleshy, sturdy wine (14.5% alc/vol), with strong, peachy, spicy flavours, a vague hint of honey, a dry finish and plenty of personality.

#### HUONHOOKE.COM

Huon Hooke, January 2017

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4.5 Stars & 93-94 Points

#### WINESTATE MAGAZINE

Michael Cooper, March / April 2017

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4.5 Stars

This powerful wine has excellent varietal character and depth. Partly barrel-fermented, it's a dry style, aromatic and fleshy, with mouthfilling body and vibrant, ripe peach, pear and spice flavours, finely poised, very harmonious and rich. Drink now onwards.

#### MICHAEL COOPER'S NZ WINE BUYER'S GUIDE 2017

Michael Cooper, November 2016

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4 Stars

A consistently good buy. The 2016 vintage was mostly handled in tanks, but a small part of the blend was fermented with indigenous yeasts in seasoned French oak casks. Aromatic and fleshy, it is sturdy (14.5 per cent alcohol), with strong, peachy, spicy flavours, a vague hint of honey, a harmonious, dry finish (3 grams/litre of residual sugar) and plenty of personality. Drink now or cellar.

#### CAMERONDOUGLASMS.BLOGSPOT.CO.NZ

Cameron Douglas MS, October 2016

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89 Points

Very fruity and engaging bouquet with peppery white fruits, white peach and nectarine, poached pears and apple. On the palate - juicy, fruity, fleshy and plush with a just dry finish showing a little residual sweetness; a custard flavour and texture adds some intrigue; medium acidity and a little more white spice.