



AKARUA

Akarua Central Otago Pinot Noir 2023



Category:	WINE		
Style:	RED WINE		
Variety:	PINOT NOIR		
Region:	CENTRAL OTAGO		
Vintage:	2023		
Volume:	750ml		
Vineyard:	SOIL TYPE: Overlaying Loess, Manuherikia series fine sandy loam, clay illuvialwith underlying schist bed rock. HARVEST: HandpickedHARVEST PERIOD : March 24th to March 31st		
Vinification:	Carefully hand harvested grapes were batch fermented. Mostly destemmed with 15% of whole cluster component averaged across the batches. Fermented on skins for around three weeks. The resulting wine was gently pressed to French oak barrels for maturation.AGEING : French Oak Barrels. 25% newAGEING DURATION : 10 months.		
Appearance:	Medium purple with crimson hues.		
Bouquet:	Expressive and fragrant showing pretty florals, blueberry, blackberry, raspberry, thyme, spice and charry oak.		
Palate:	The palate is sweet on entry with dark cherry, black Doris plum, blackberry, red currant, mushroom and dark chocolate. Medium bodied, concentrated, finely balanced and very complex. Velvety silky fine tannin that leads into a very long mineral and plum finish.		
Technical Analysis:			
Alcohol:	13.00%	Packaging:	6 x 750ml