



2008 Valli Waitaki Vineyard Pinot Noir

Total Production: 402 Cases

Harvest date: 12th May 2008

VITICULTURE

Site Location: Grants Road and Doctors Creek Vineyards, Kurow, North Otago

Vine Clones: UCD 5, 115

Vine Density: 5000/ha

Trellis: VSP

Climate: Maritime influenced

Soils: Limestone based soil spread through river gravels

Rainfall: 350mls

GDD: 970

Yield: Aprox 4 T/ha

Brix: 24.0

pH: 3.69

TA: 6.4

WINEMAKING

Fermentation: 25% Whole Bunch/75% destemmed; Peak Fermentation Temp 29degC

Oak: 40% New oak, 40% One year oak, 20% Two years

Coopers: Mercurey, Cadus

Press and free run combined

Post Fermentation Maceration Time: 8 days

Fining: None

Filtration: Very coarse (4 Micron)

Alcohol: 13%

