

THE NED PINOT GRIS 2025

Marlborough, New Zealand



TASTING NOTES: Distinctly salmon pink in hue, a signature feature of The Ned Pinot Gris, this wine delivers aromas of quince and pear drop. The bright and refreshing palate offers juicy white peach flavors supported by subtle Braeburn crispness, delivering a lush and supple expression of cool climate Marlborough Pinot Gris.

VITICULTURE: Vintage 2025 will be remembered as one of Marlborough's larger harvests due to near optimal flowering and fruit set conditions during the final months of 2024. The 2025 growing season began with budburst under warm, sunny weather, allowing vines to make full use of the ample soil moisture retained from winter and the majority of spring was fortunately frost free. Throughout the early part of the season, Marlborough experienced warm, sunny, and relatively dry conditions, despite a few intense rain events in late October and again mid to late December. The key summer ripening period continued this pattern of favorable weather—warm, sunny, and dry—even though January ranked among the coolest since 2000. Harvest commenced under sunny skies in March and concluded a month later.

VINIFICATION: A portion of the Pinot Gris fruit, which is naturally pink in color, underwent a period of skin contact to enhance color and texture in the juice. The fruit was then gently pressed to stainless steel tanks for fermentation.

Selected yeast strains were chosen to enhance varietal intensity and mouthfeel with a slow, steady fermentation to preserve these aromatics.

STORY: Born of the Waihopai Valley, The Ned represents the vibrant diversity that is so prevalent in the Marlborough wine-growing region. One of Marlborough's famous peaks, The Ned mountain served as the playground for Marisco founder, Brent Marris, during his youth. The ethos "Young At Heart" encapsulates this wine; a true expression of grassroots winemaking that places the energy and liveliness of adventure in every bottle.

PRODUCER: Marisco Vineyards

REGION: Marlborough, New Zealand

GRAPE(S): 100% Pinot Gris

SKU: TNPG257

ALCOHOL: 13%

TOTAL ACIDITY: 5.14 G/L

RESIDUAL SUGAR: 5.5 G/L

pH: 3.42