

TRI NATION PINOT NOIR

Pinot Noir

"No wine is harder to grow than Pinot Noir!" A statement made by many a winemaker and grower. Not only is this sensitive grape difficult to grow, it is difficult to cultivate and the challenge to turn this little stubborn variety into a gorgeous wine, is easier said than done!

Although the Pinot Noir variety found its fame in the Burgundy region of France, it is also found in many other locations around the world, mostly in cooler climates.

Pinot's are low in tannins (dryness), although have a higher amount of acid and also come in more than one weight and style - so they can suit many a discerning palate.

Try a glass or all three in a flight and compare.

Flight 30

USA

2008 Argyle 'Reserve' Pinot Noir, Willamette Valley, Oregon

gl 25 btl 113

Displaying rich burgundy colour with delicate floral aromas, clean black cherry and forest berries on your palate. Further palate characteristics of clove and nutmeg spices, interwoven with hints of earthy tertiary flavours and silky tannins

NEW ZEALAND

2008 Clos Henri - Marlborough, New Zealand

gl 27 btl 117

Pronounced "Klo Enrie", the 2008 vintage displays a dark rich colour, with an intense and complex nose of sweet black currants, forest mushrooms and spicy oak. A palate of rich dark fruit layered with ripe firm tannins. This Pinot hails from New Zealand's finest with a French wine makers touch!

FRANCE

2008 Faiveley Mercurey 'La Framboisere' - Burgundy, France

gl 28 btl 119

A tiny village set between Grande Cote and Cote Chalonnaise, the 'Mercury region' receives sun from dawn till dusk lending itself to unique pinot noir year in year out. Displays an aroma of cherry and raspberry, the palate follows with a juicy elegance and firm structure. This burgundy has great length.

WHITE WINE BY THE GLASS

CHAMPAGNE

Veuve Clicquot N/V - Réims, France	28
Gosset Grande Reserve N/V Rose - Aÿ, France	28

SPARKLING

2010 Brown Brothers Prosecco - King Valley, VIC	10
Chandon Rosé N/V - Yarra Valley, VIC	13
2006 Pelorus Cloudy Bay - Marlborough, NZ	16.5

RIESLING

2010 Castelli Estate - Porongurup, Great Southern, WA	11
2004 Tamar Ridge - Tamar Valley, TAS	15

SEMILLON

2006 Rockford Local Growers Semillon - Barossa Valley, SA	14
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SAUVIGNON BLANC

2010 Motif - Marlborough, NZ	11
2010 Hope Estate - Margaret River, WA	11.5
2010 Vasse Felix Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon - Margaret River, WA	13.5
2010 Sorrenberg Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon - Beechworth, VIC	17
2010 Craggy Range 'Te Muna Road Winery' - Martinborough, NZ	17

AROMATICS

2010 Massena 'Surly Muse' Viognier - Barossa Valley, SA	10
2010 Bleasdale Verdelho - Langhorne Creek, SA	11
2010 Pooley Coal River Pinot Grigio - Southern Tasmania	14
2010 Henschke 'Littlehamptons' Pinot Gris - Lenswood, SA	15
2010 Lawson's Dry Hills Pinot Gris - Marlborough, NZ	13

CHARDONNAY

2009 Sideways unoaked - Margaret River, WA	11.5
2007 Scarborough - Pokolbin, NSW	12.5
2008 Dalwhinnie - Pyrenees, VIC	19
2008 Lark Hill Chardonnay - Canberra District, ACT	17

RED WINE BY THE GLASS

ROSÉ

2009 Teusner 'The Salsa' Rosé - Grenache, Shiraz & Mataro - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	10
2010 Scorpo Shiraz Rosé - <i>Mornington Peninsula, VIC</i>	15

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2008 Eradus - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	12
2009 Bress - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	13
2009 Coldstream Hills - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	16.5
2009 Mt Difficulty 'Roaring Meg' - <i>Central Otago, NZ</i>	18.5
2008 Faiveley Mercurey 'La Framboisere' - <i>Burgundy, France</i>	28
2008 Argyle 'Reserve' - <i>Willamette Valley, Oregon</i>	25
2008 Clos Henri - <i>Marlborough, New Zealand</i>	27
2005 Lark Hill - <i>Canberra District, ACT</i>	16

RED OTHERS

2008 Smith and Hooper Merlot - <i>Wrattonbully, SA</i>	9.5
2010 Kalleske Clarry's 'Barossa Blend' Grenache, Shiraz & Mataro - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	10.5
2010 Samuel's Gorge Tempranillo - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	18
2003 Lark Hill Merlot - <i>Canberra District, ACT</i>	16

CABERNET SAUVIGNON AND BLENDS

2008 Yalumba 'The Scribbler' Cabernet Shiraz - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	11
2006 Yarra Loch Cabernets- <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	12
2007 Cape Mentelle 'Trinders' , Cabernet Merlot - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	16.5
2008 Petaluma 100 Line - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	15
2008 Pierro LTCF Cabernet Merlot - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	20

SHIRAZ AND BLENDS

2007 Willunga 100 Shiraz & Viogner - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	12
2008 Craggy Range 'Gimblett Gravels' Syrah - <i>Hawke's Bay, NZ</i>	19.5
2005 Mount Langi 'Cliff Edge' - <i>Grampians, VIC</i>	13
2008 Torbreck 'The Struie' - <i>Barossa, SA</i>	22

CHAMPAGNE

Veuve Clicquot N/V - Réims, France	151
Gosset Grande Reserve Rose N/V - Aÿ, France	151
Bollinger 'Special Cuvee' - Aÿ, France	169
Ruinart Blanc de Blanc N/V - Réims, France	199
2002 Dom Pérignon - Épernay, France	370
1999 Bollinger 'La Grande Année' Rosé - Aÿ, France	540
2002 Perrier-Jouët 'Belle Époque' - Épernay, France	310
1998 Veuve Clicquot 'La Grande Dame' - Réims, France	390
Krug Grande Cuvée M/V - Réims, France	410
2004 Louis Roederer Cristal - Réims, France	510

CHAMPAGNE HALF BOTTLE

Pol Roger N/V Brut Reserve - Épernay, France 375 ml	75
Billecart-Salmon Brut Rosé - Mareuil-Sur-Aÿ, France 375 ml	99

SPARKLING

2010 Brown Brothers Prosecco - King Valley, VIC	54
Le Colture Fagher N/V Prosecco di Valdobbiadene DOCG, Italy	66
Jansz N/V - TAS, VIC & SA	57
Chandon Rosé N/V - Yarra Valley, VIC	70
2006 Pelorus Cloudy Bay - Marlborough, NZ	90
2003 Grand Arras - TAS	99
2004 Leasingham 'Classic Clare' Sparkling Shiraz - Clare Valley, SA	93

PINOT GRIS & GRIGIO

2010 Dal Zotto Pinot Grigio - King Valley, VIC	52
2010 Pooley Coal River Pinot Grigio - Southern Tasmania	63
2010 Henschke 'Littlehamptons' Pinot Gris - Lenswood, SA	68
2010 Lawson's 'Dry Hills' Pinot Gris - Marlborough, NZ	60
2010 Tim Adams Pinot Gris - Clare Valley, SA	57
2008 Yabby Lake Pinot Gris - Mornington Peninsula, VIC	95
2009 Hans Herzog Pinot Gris - Marlborough, NZ	125

RIESLING

2007 Steingarten - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	71
2010 Heggies - <i>Eden Valley, SA</i>	54
2010 Castelli Estate - <i>Porongurup, Great Southern, WA</i>	50
2009 Stefano Lubiana - <i>Derwent Valley, TAS</i>	67
2005 Josef Chromy 'Zdar' - <i>North Tasmania, TAS</i>	85
2008 Te Whare Ra 'M' - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	69
2008 Framingham Classic - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	72
2004 Tamar Ridge - <i>Tamar Valley, TAS</i>	70
2005 Pewsey Vale 'Contours' - <i>Eden Valley, SA</i>	75
2010 Lethbridge 'Dr Nadeson' - <i>Portland, VIC</i>	70

SAUVIGNON BLANC

2010 Motif - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	50
2010 Hope Estate - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	52
2011 Shaw & Smith - <i>Adelaide Hills, SA</i>	69
2010 Tower Estate - <i>Adelaide Hills, SA</i>	71
2010 Vasse Felix Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	62
2010 Neudorf - <i>Nelson, NZ</i>	69
2010 Sorrenberg Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	78
2010 Villa Maria 'Cellar Selection' - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	76
2010 Oakridge Fumé Blanc - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	73
2010 Craggy Range 'Te Muna Road Winery' - <i>Martinborough, NZ</i>	78
2006 Suck Fizzle Sauvignon Blanc, Semillon - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	99
2007 Te Koko - <i>Cloudy Bay - Marlborough, NZ</i>	142

AROMATICS

2010 Bleasdale Verdelho - <i>Langhorne Creek, SA</i>	50
2010 Massena 'Surly Muse' Viognier - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	45
2008 By Farr Viognier - <i>Geelong, VIC</i>	105
2007 Cloudy Bay Gewurztraminer - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	81

SEMILLON

2006 Rockford Local Growers Semillon - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	63
2004 Tyrrell's Vat 1 Semillon - <i>Hunter Valley, NSW</i>	109

CHARDONNAY

2009 Sideways 'unoaked' - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	51
2007 Petaluma 'Project Co' - <i>Summertown, SA</i>	124
2008 Howard Park - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	104
2008 By Farr - <i>Geelong, VIC</i>	127
2007 Yarra Burn 'Bastard Hill' - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	132
2009 Bindi Composition - <i>Macedon Ranges, VIC</i>	130
2007 Tyrrell's Vat 47 - <i>Hunter Valley, NSW</i>	119
2009 Grosset Piccadilly - <i>Adelaide Hills, SA</i>	131
2008 Tapanappa 'Tiers Vineyard' - <i>Piccadilly Valley, SA</i>	189
2007 Craggy Range 'Les Beaux Cailloux' Gimblett Gravels - <i>Hawke's Bay, NZ</i>	193
2007 Kumeu River Estate - <i>Kumeu, NZ</i>	112
2008 Prancing Horse - <i>Red Hill, VIC</i>	104
2006 Giaconda - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	391
2008 Dalwhinnie - <i>Pyrenees, VIC</i>	86
2005 Cloudy Bay - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	114
2009 Mt Difficulty - <i>Central Otago, NZ</i>	90
2009 Moss Wood Chardonnay - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	144
2007 Scarborough - <i>Pokolbin, NSW</i>	56
2008 Poole's Rock - <i>Hunter Valley, NSW</i>	94
2008 Savaterra - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	165
2008 Lark Hill Chardonnay - <i>Canberra District, ACT</i>	78
2007 Leeuwin Estate Art Series - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	175
1998 Leeuwin Estate 'Art Series' - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	329
2005 Geoff Merrill Reserve - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	72

MAGNUM

2001 Cloudy Bay - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	240
1997 Bannockburn - <i>Geelong, VIC</i>	290

ROSÉ

2009 Teusner 'The Salsa' Rosé - Grenache, Shiraz & Mataro - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	45
2010 Scorpo Shiraz Rosé - <i>Mornington Peninsula, VIC</i>	69

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2008 Eradus - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	54
2009 Bress - <i>Yarra Valley & Macedon Ranges, VIC</i>	59
2009 Mt Difficulty 'Roaring Meg' - <i>Central Otago, NZ</i>	83
2009 Coldstream Hills - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC & TAS</i>	75
2010 Brook Eden 'Waters Edge' - <i>Pipers Brook, TAS</i>	69
2003 Mount Mary - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	468
2008 Yabby Lake - <i>Mornington Peninsula, VIC</i>	141
2008 Faiveley Mercurey 'La Framboisere' - <i>Burgundy, France</i>	119
2008 Moss Wood - <i>Mornington Peninsula, VIC</i>	114
2007 Pisa Range Estate - <i>Cromwell, NZ</i>	134
2008 Staete Landt - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	95
2009 Tapanappa 'Foggy Hill' - <i>Fleurieu Peninsula, SA</i>	124
2008 Argyle 'Reserve' - <i>Willamette Valley, Oregon</i>	113
2009 Wedgetail Estate Biodynamic - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	91
2007 Giaconda - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	298
2005 Lark Hill - <i>Canberra District, ACT</i>	72
2008 Clos Henri - <i>Marlborough, New Zealand</i>	117
2007 Curly Flat - <i>Macedon Ranges, VIC</i>	124
2008 Escarpment - <i>Martinborough, NZ</i>	121
2008 Ata Rangī - <i>Martinborough, NZ</i>	182
2008 Elk Cove 'Willamette' Pinot Noir - <i>Yamhill-Carlton, Oregon</i>	105
2008 Savaterre - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	165
2008 Lethbridge 'Mietta' - <i>Geelong, VIC</i>	139
2007 Barrett 'The Reserve' - <i>Piccadilly Valley, SA</i>	99
1999 Bannockburn - <i>Geelong, VIC</i>	174
2007 Herzog - <i>Marlborough, NZ</i>	143

CABERNET SAUVIGNON AND BLENDS

2006 Step Road - <i>Langhorne Creek, SA</i>	58
2008 Pierro LTCF Cabernet Merlot - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	93
1996 Mt Mary Quintet - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	493
2006 Yarra Loch Cabernets - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	54
2003 Rockford 'Rifle Range' - <i>Barossa, SA</i>	167
2004 Domaine 'A' Stoney Vineyard - <i>Coal River, TAS</i>	145
2007 Cape Mentelle 'Trinders', Cabernet Merlot - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	72
2008 Yalumba 'The Scribbler' Cabernet Shiraz - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	50
2004 Taylors 'St Andrews' - <i>Clare Valley, SA</i>	151
2001 Parker Estate Terra Rossa 'First Growth' - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	249
2004 Yarra Yering 'Dry Red No 1' Cabernet Blend - <i>Yarra Valley, VIC</i>	199
2009 100 Line Petaluma - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	68
2008 Vasse Felix - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	85
2007 Langmeil 'The Blacksmith' - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	79
2004 Jack Mann - <i>Great Southern, WA</i>	239
2006 Leeuwin Estate 'Art Series' - <i>Margaret River, WA</i>	156
2006 Yalumba Signature Cabernet & Shiraz - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	127
2006 Ebenezer - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	89
1998 Penfolds 'Bin 707' Cabernet - <i>SA</i>	649
2005 Orlando Jacaranda Ridge - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	125

MAGNUM

2004 Jack Mann - <i>Great Southern, WA</i>	444
2003 Yalumba 'The Menzies' - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	240

OTHERS

2008 Margan Barbera - <i>Hunter Valley, NSW</i>	63
2007 Kangarilla Road Fleurieu Primitivo (Zinfandel) - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	50
2010 Kalleske Clarry's 'Barossa Blend' Grenache, Shiraz & Mataro - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	47
2006 Nugan 'Alfredo' Sangiovese, Merlot - <i>King Valley, VIC</i>	50
2003 Grant Burge GSM 'Holy Trinity' - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	98
2006 Heathcote Grenache Noir - <i>Heathcote, VIC</i>	75
2006 Clos Clare Grenache 'Watervale' - <i>Clare Valley, SA</i>	71
2010 Samuel's Gorge Tempranillo - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	82
2008 Smith and Hooper Merlot - <i>Wrattonbully, SA</i>	44
2003 Lark Hill Merlot - <i>Canberra District, ACT</i>	72
2000 Katnook Merlot - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	127
1997 Petaluma Merlot - <i>Coonawarra, SA</i>	184

SHIRAZ & BLENDS

2007 Willunga 100 Shiraz & Viogner - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	54
2008 Yalumba 'Hand Picked' Shiraz & Viognier - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	77
1998 Mount Langi 'Ghiran' - <i>Grampians, VIC</i>	150
2008 Lonely Vineyard - <i>Eden Valley, SA</i>	97
2008 Castagna Sauvage - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	132
2009 Vinden Estate Basket Press - <i>Hunter Valley, NSW</i>	75
2008 Craggy Range 'Gimblett Gravels' Syrah - <i>Hawke's Bay, NZ</i>	90
2005 Canonbah Bridge 'Drought Reserve' - <i>Western Plains, NSW</i>	84
2005 Mount Langi 'Cliff Edge' - <i>Grampians, VIC</i>	59
2008 Peter Lehmann 'The Futures' - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	63
2008 Battely Syrah - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	140
2005 Giaconda - <i>Beechworth, VIC</i>	319
2009 Syrahmi 'Climat' Syrah - <i>Heathcote, VIC</i>	126
2008 Sanguine Estate - <i>Heathcote, VIC</i>	92
2005 La Pleiade Jasper Hill / Chapoutier - <i>Heathcote, VIC</i>	270
1999 Grant Burge 'Meshach' - <i>Barossa, SA</i>	329
1996 Grant Burge 'Meshach' - <i>Barossa, SA</i>	370
2008 Scarpantoni Estate 'Block 3' - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	89
2008 Kaesler 'Stonehorse' - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	78
2007 Wild Duck Creek Estate 'Springflat' - <i>Heathcote, VIC</i>	134
2006 Peter Lehmann 'Stonewell' - <i>Barossa Valley, SA</i>	190
2008 Torbreck 'The Struie' - <i>Barossa, SA</i>	105
2004 Orlando Lawsons - <i>Padthaway, SA</i>	138
1995 Tatachilla 'Foundation' - <i>McLaren Vale, SA</i>	234
2004 Torbreck 'Run Rig' - <i>Barossa, SA</i>	398
1996 Penfolds Grange - <i>SA</i>	1000