

**SOUTHERN CROSS  
HAWKE'S BAY PINOT GRIS  
2019**

**Heritage**

Established in 1978, The Wine Portfolio combines the finest grapes with the best winemaking techniques, as well as passion from our dedicated winemakers. We have taken the boutique winery approach to winemaking by controlling the entire process—from grafting our own cuttings, developing our own vineyards and viticultural techniques and investing in the best technology possible.

**Vineyards**

The grapes for this wine were sourced from three of our Hawke's Bay vineyards – Riverview, Kinross and Campbell's Brook.

**Grapes**

Pinot Gris 86%, Gewurztraminer 7%, Viognier 7%

**Vinification**

The grapes were transported to our Riverview winery where they were pressed to stainless steel tanks and fermented using a range of yeasts. The resulting wines were transported by road tanker to our Katikati winery for blending, finishing and bottling.

**Winemaker's Tasting Notes**

White fleshed fruits, a hint of spice and delicate florals lure you in. The palate is fresh and textured with a gentle sweetness, soft acidity and clean pear flavours.

**Cellaring Potential**

This wine is drinking well now but can be cellared for up to 4 years.

**Food Match**

Seafood, poultry, pork

**Analysis**

Alcohol:	13.5 % v/v
Residual Sugar:	5.5 g/L
Total Acidity:	5.4 g/L
pH:	3.49

