

**FALCONHEAD  
HAWKE'S BAY VIOGNIER  
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 fruit for this wine came entirely from our Tantalion vineyard in the Hawke's Bay.

**Vinification**

The grapes were machine harvested and transported to our Riverview winery where they were pressed with a fraction of the juice going to barrel for fermentation and the remainder being fermented in stainless steel. A variety of yeasts were used, but mainly X16 and VL1. Following maturation in both oak and stainless, the wine was blended and tankered to our Katikati winery for final finishing and bottling.

**Winemaker's Tasting Notes**

Aromas of ripe apricot, white flowers and a hint of vanilla spice. The palate is freshly textured and layered with complexity. A rich and generous wine, with a long delicious finish.

**Cellaring Potential**

This wine is drinking well now but can be cellared for up to 5 years.

**Composition**

Viognier 100%

**Analysis**

Alcohol:	14% v/v
Residual Sugar:	2.7 g/L
Total Acidity:	5.7 g/L
pH:	3.62

