



TI POINT



2018 Ti Point Hawke's Bay Tess White Merlot



Ti Point wines were born of the passion and determination of three generations of women to create elegant wines of layers and texture. Full-flavoured, supple and smooth, these are stylish wines to be shared with family, friends and food.

Vintage Summary	The 2018 season had the best possible start. The early growing period from December to February was hot and dry with even less rain than last vintage. In fact, January was one of the driest on record with fine, sunny days and our merlot grapes lapped up the dry heat and excellent growing conditions.
Winemaker's Note	With a light salmon blush colour, our White Merlot delights with aromas of peach and nectarine, supported by blossoms and strawberry. The palate shows a broad spectrum of fresh fruit flavours that is supple and refreshing.
Vinification	Gentle, quick handling is the key to making our Tess White Merlot. The grapes are picked pre-dawn, while still cold and immediately pressed to limit colour uptake to the clear grape juice from the skins. Fermented at cool temperatures in small stainless steel tanks we aim to capture the savoury notes of Merlot along with its bright, fleshy red and stone fruit characters and soft texture.
Technical details	Variety: Merlot Region: Hawke's Bay Food Match: Antipasto lunch platter Cellaring: 2 years RS: 5.8 g/L Alcohol: 12.5 % pH: 3.55 TA: 5 g/L



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