

# 2013 Viognier

#### **TECHNICAL DATA:**

Alcohol Content: 13.4%

Bottle Size: 750 ml

Cases Produced: 250 cases Appellation: Sierra Foothills,

Naggiar Estate

Cooperage: Mostly Stainless Steel

Varietal Composition: 100% Viognier

Winemaker: Derek Irwin Suggested Retail: \$21.00

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## Tasting Notes:

This is a lovely, dry white wine, pale gold in color. Lots of apricot, stone fruit and tropical fruit with nice, bright acidity and mouthfeel with a lingering finish. A Viognier to pair with food, and a great alternative to Chardonnay.

# Winemaker Impressions:

Our 2013 Viognier is probably my favorite Viognier to date. This vintage offered up some great fruit and the characteristics of this Viognier are true to the varietal's nature.

# Vineyards:

Viognier grapes from our Block 24 were used to produce this wonderful wine.

## Winemaking:

Winemaking on this vintage is slightly different than previous productions. It was 90% stainless steel fermented, the remaining 10% done in neutral white barrels with no malolactic fermentation.