



VAN WESTEN VINEYARDS

Vivacious 2017



Tasting Notes

A complex and lively wine with aromas of blood orange, apple peel, apple blossom, peach, pear and papaya sorbet. Dry with crisp racy acidity, the intense palate shows peach and nectarine, blood orange zest, preserved lemon and baking spice with a long, mineral, graphite finish.

96% Pinot Blanc 4% Pinot Gris

258 cases produced

\$20

SKU: 294165

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Alcohol: 12.9%

30% of the Pinot Blanc was fermented in 2-3 year old French oak barrels for 5 months. The remainder of the Pinot Blanc and the Pinot Gris were fermented in stainless steel.

Vineyard

Name: Home Lot

Location: Naramata Bench

Soil Type: sandy loam surface with very gravelly loam subsoil

Distance from the winery: 0.25 km

Vines planted in: 1999

Clone: 53 on S04 rootstock (PG) and unknown on 3309 rootstock (PB)

Slope & Aspect: west facing slope

Harvest Date: October 25 & 26, 2017