

ANTHONY ALLPORT WINE



Decibel Wines are Daniel Brennan's vision to create wines using classic practices, minimal intervention, and wines with a community based attitude. "These are ideas as old as wine itself and I believe strongly in them. However I look to the future as well. I look at a time when we use smart practices in the vineyard and the winery that not only inspire but preserve our great planet. I've had a great deal of help from many other winemakers, growers and friends in Hawkes Bay, Martinborough, and back home in the USA as well".

This wine was grown on the Bridge Pa Triangle, a grape growing area roughly delineated by three roads: Ngatarawa Road, State Highway 50 and Maraekakaho Road. It is recognised as a premium wine growing area in the Hawke's Bay region. In ancient times the area was blanketed by the pumice tephra of numerous Taupo volcanic events. Much of the Triangle area covers the historical (pre-1860s earthquake) riverbed of the nearby Ngaruroro River.

As such soil types include Ngatarawa Gravels, Takapau Silty-loam (free draining red metal of mixed alluvial and volcanic origin) and shallow clay-loam soils with underlying deep free draining pumice

WINERY: DECIBEL

WINE NAME: DECIBEL VIOGNIER

VINTAGE: 2021

GRAPE: VIOGNIER

ALC VOL: 14%

REGION: HAWKE'S BAY

SUB REGION: BRIDGE PA TRIANGLE

VINEYARD: DOUBLE OR QUILTS

SOIL TYPE: RED METAL OVER ALLUVIAL FREE

DRAINING

VINE AGE: 11 YEARS

IRRIGATION: PERIODIC

TRELLIS: VSP

ALTITUDE: 45 METERS

ASPECT: EAST

CLONE: 1042

FERMENTATION: ORGANIC SELECTED YEAST

WINEMAKER NOTES

Bright floral notes and orange blossom dominate on first breath. Hints of cinnamon toast, brioche and lemon meringue pie develop on the nose as the wine opens up with some air. The front palate is fresh with a soft, supple attack on the cheeks and a racing, spicy mid-palate melting into a chalky, tangy finish screaming for bold food pairings.

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