Latitude 41 Hill Block Pinot Gris 2025

~ Limited Release ~

A crisp, fruity Pinot Gris that will excite your taste buds. Pear and spice flavours are evident in this wonderful consistent wine that packs a punch from season to season. Further light aging on small amounts of French oak and lees provides a hint of vanilla and cream. Grown on heavier clay soils on Upper Moutere sloping vineyards that are perfectly suited for producing full-flavoured, aromatic and structured refreshing Pinot Gris.

Vintage Conditions	The 2025 vintage in Nelson delivered exceptional grape growing conditions with high sunshine hours and dry conditions throughout ripening. The cooler nights came in through Autumn ensuring lovely acid retention and beautiful fruit flavours. Exceptional conditions for our popular Hill Block Pinot Grigio. The warm late-season sun allowed the pristine fruit to complete optimal flavor concentration and phenolic development, resulting in a Beautiful Hill Block Pinot Gris.
Harvest Date	01 April 2025
Vinification	The grapes were crushed, destemmed and pressed and left for a small period of skin contact with the juice for texture. After cold settling the clear juice is cool fermented down to as low as 10 degrees to maximise aroma and flavour. The wine is then left on yeast lees to help develop texture and a subtle creaminess. A small portion of the wine is fermented on French oak for an added subtle vanilla component that works beautifully with the aromatic fruit and the creamy lees
Bottling Date	October 2025
Alcohol	12.5%
pH	3.25
Acid	6.2 g/l
Residual Sugar	4.0 g/l
Colour	Brilliant light copper with bright straw and pale pink flashes.
Bouquet	Intensely expressive and aromatic; layered with fresh nashi pear, sweet baking spice, poached red apple, and a delicate touch of creamy vanilla oak.
Palate	Showcases a superb, mouth-filling structure and rich weight derived from extended lees contact. Prominent profiles of crisp pear, ripe white peach, and juicy fruits flow smoothly across the tongue. The palate flows seamlessly with harmony between crisp acidity and luscious, sweet varietal depth of fruit on a lengthy finish.
Packaging	12 x 750ml with premium Screw Cap closure.