



JACKSON
ESTATE

HOMESTEAD 2014 PINOT NOIR

HARVEST:

A mixture of clones 777 and 943 off our younger blocks and clones 114, 667 and 777 off our older plantings commenced late March.

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WEATHER:

2014 promised to be an exceptional year for Marlborough. With warm weather during the day, cool nights and little to no rain through January and February, saw perfect ripening and were tracking for an early start to harvest. Select thinning of some blocks meant we were able to run with perfect levels of vine/fruit and thus see stable and constant ripening. At the beginning of March there were a couple of adverse rain events, proving to be just what the vines needed, with enough water to freshen and lift the vines.