

2018 ORIANA (Latin for 'golden lady') Aromatic White Blend Yakima Valley AVA

Hardly a month goes by without someone telling me that Oriana is their favorite white wine. With its seductive aromas and perfect balance, its popularity just keeps soaring. The 2018 vintage is a richly aromatic wine, resplendent with tangerine, apricot, ripe pear and apple with touches of honey and anise. Crisp acidity greets the palate while mouth filling fruit flavors linger making this an excellent companion to many foods, from shellfish to Asian cuisine. Enjoy!



Grape Varieties & Vineyard Sources

| Viognier Dineen Vineyard, Yakima Valley (19%) Solstice Vineyard, Yakima Valley (16%) Olsen Vineyard, Yakima Valley (14%) | 49% |
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| Roussanne Olsen Brothers Vineyards, Yakima Valley | 41% |
| Riesling Solstice Vineyards, Yakima Valley | 10% |

Fermentation

One third barrel fermented in neutral French Oak barrels, two-thirds stainless steel fermented. Both kept on lees and stirred monthly for 6 months to increase mouth feel and aromatic complexity. No malolactic fermentation (MLF) was conducted.

Analysis at Harvest

Analysis at Bottling

DatesSept. 19 thruOct. 13, 2018Average Brix24.6.0Average TA0.52%Average pH3.37

Date April 9, 2019 Residual Sugar 0.45%

 TA
 0.54%

 pH
 3.30

 Alcohol
 13.6%

Production 808 cases

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