

# Te MATA

ESTATE 1896

## ESTATE SYRAH 2021

SOURCED EXCLUSIVELY FROM TE MATA ESTATE'S OWN VINEYARDS, THE ESTATE WINES REPRESENT THE BEST QUALITIES OF THEIR VARIETY, VINTAGE AND HAWKE'S BAY ORIGIN.



**Appellation** / Hawke's Bay

**Vineyards** / Estate Syrah 2021 was harvested between March 19-26, 2021 from Te Mata Estate's own vineyards in Hawke's Bay's Dartmoor, Bridge Pa Triangle and Gimblett Gravels sub-regions.

**Winemaking** / The individual parcels of syrah from each plot were destemmed for fermentation and remained on skins for extended maceration before pressing. It was then run off to a mixture of new and seasoned French oak barrels for 12 months' maturation, during which time it was regularly topped and raked. The wine received a traditional egg white fining before bottling.

**Tasting Notes** / Dark and brooding in the glass, Estate Syrah 2021 is ink-black with a vivid magenta edge. The lifted aromatics of concentrated raspberry and crushed violets quickly become layer upon layer of exotic spices, fruit cake, pancetta, vanilla, and cocoa running the length of this wine's luscious palate. Dense, saturated, ripe, and enticing in its detail – Estate Syrah 2021 delivers on every dimension.

**Varietal Composition** / 100% Syrah

**Alcohol** / 13%

**TA** / 6.2 g/L

**pH** / 3.58

ESTABLISHED IN 1896, TE MATA ESTATE REMAINS FAMILY OWNED, PRODUCING INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED WINES EXCLUSIVELY FROM ITS HISTORIC, HAWKE'S BAY VINEYARDS

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