

GRATUS VINEYARDS

GRATUS 2017 WHITE BLEND

VARIETALS: ESTATE GROWN

50% Grenache Blanc, 15% Viognier, 15% Marsanne, 15% Roussanne, 5% Picpoul Blanc

APPELLATION: NAPA VALLEY WINEMAKER: ROBBIE MEYER

PROPRIETOR: WARGOVICH FAMILY

PRODUCTION: 200 CASES

HARVEST: 09.23.17

PH: 3.4

TOTAL ACIDITY: 6.5

BRIX: 24.5

HAND SORTED THEN WHOLE

CLUSTER PRESSED

FERMENTATION

IN BARREL: COMBINED INDIGENOUS/CULTURED YEAST. RESIDUAL SUGAR WAS 1.8GM/L

ALCOHOL: 14.2%

AGING: NEUTRAL OAK 7 MONTHS

2017 SEASONAL NOTES

MEMORABLE FOR RECORD WINTER
RAINS, FOLLOWED BY A DRY
SPRING, ALLOWING UNIFORM
FLAVOR DEVELOPMENT. HOT
WEATHER AND OCTOBER
WILDFIRES WERE CHALLENGING
FOR MANY, ALTHOUGH
GRATEFULLY WE WERE SPARED..