

2013 Elephant Hill Syrah

Located in Hawke's Bay, our vineyards enjoy a temperate, dry climate and an extended growing season allowing us to grow wines that display wonderful fruit purity and elegance. Every wine crafted by Elephant Hill is made with fruit handpicked from sustainably-run vineyards.

The 2013 Syrah is made from grapes hand-picked off our Gimblett and Te Awanga Vineyards. The vine clones are Mass Selection, Chave and 470. Syrah is one of our flagship varieties and with the exceptional 2013 vintage in Hawke's Bay this wine measures up to the very best we have made. The bunches were gently de-stemmed and fermented in traditional open-top oak cuves. After pressing the wine was put to French oak barriques (30% new) and allowed to age for 12 months before bottling.

It has aromas of blackberry, dark chocolate and anise with ripe, juicy black fruits and typical spice and pepper on the palate.

2013 Elephant Hill Syrah analysis

Alcohol Content (%v/v) 13.5% Residual Sugar (q/L) <1





