



NARRATIVE

by OKANAGAN CRUSH PAD

VIOGNIER SYRAH 2019

Narrative wines tell the story of the Okanagan and its rare climate; one that is home to both an arid desert landscape and cold snowy winters, with an intense, short growing season. From this place come wines with naturally, fresh acidity and integrated fruit forwardness. www.okanagancrushpad.com

WINE NOTES

This delicious rosé was created by reversing a pretty traditional style of Syrah/Viognier by going 80% Viognier - 20% Syrah and co-fermenting them in open top stainless steel tanks. The combination leads to a textural sensation, inherently lush and rich, the Viognier has a touch of spice and pepper backed by red berries and a light yet food friendly structure.

Brix 21.5 | pH 3.4 | TA 5.5 | RS 0.5 | Alc 12.5%



Matt Dumayne was born and raised in Auckland, New Zealand. After completing his education, he launched his winemaking career in 1998; first as a cellar hand, then as assistant winemaker at Central Otago winery Gibbston Valley Wines where he worked with Grant Taylor, one of the world's most awarded Pinot Noir winemakers. Vintages in Central Otago, California, Australia, Oregon and the Okanagan rounded out his experience. Now at Okanagan Crush Pad since 2013, Matt brings unparalleled insight and passion to the art of low intervention winemaking. Working with a team of acclaimed international consultants, traveling, tasting and continually pushing to elevate his game and our wines, each vintage offers a canvas to create hallmark Okanagan wines that push quality to new levels.

