

Vintage Report 2023



MARLBOROUGH WINE | Aotearoa New Zealand

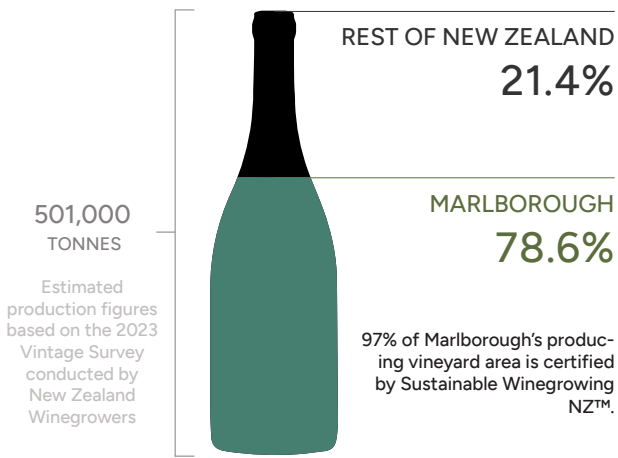


Despite the perils of a wet and cool spring and summer, harvest was magic across the board.

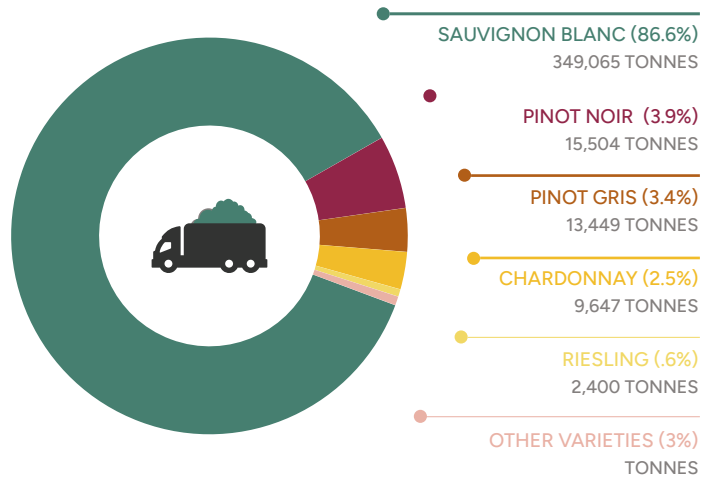
Marlborough's inclement weather conditions were far from perfect over the spring and summer, with the third La Niña year in a row putting vineyard teams to the test. Autumn ripening was not dry, but rain was either cool or followed by good weather, with no prolonged humidity to aggravate disease. Then a near-frost in March, which could have been a "disaster" mid harvest, instead seemed to halt botrytis in its tracks.

The result was a slow and long ripening season, healthy vines without disease pressure, and clean fruit at harvest. The excellent vintage is absolutely the best way to celebrate 50 years of Marlborough's modern wine industry.

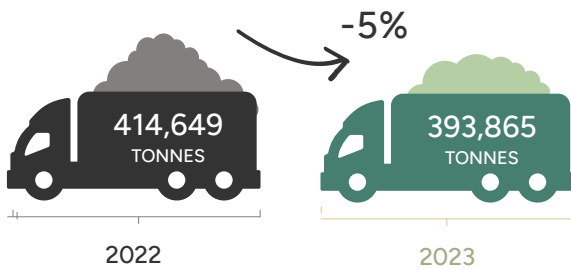
TOTAL VOLUME OF GRAPES HARVESTED



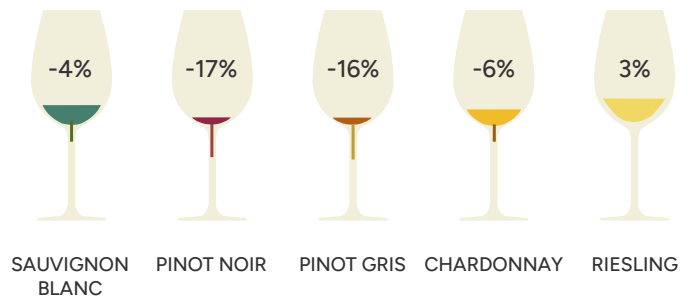
TONNES PRODUCED BY VARIETY



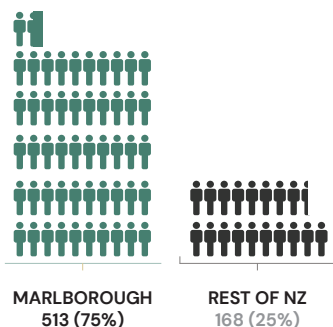
2022 VS 2023 TONNES PRODUCED



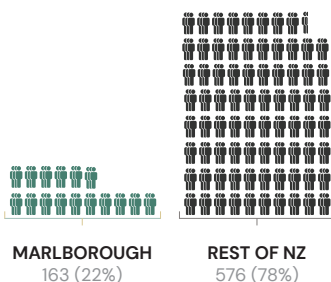
% CHANGE 2023 VS 2022



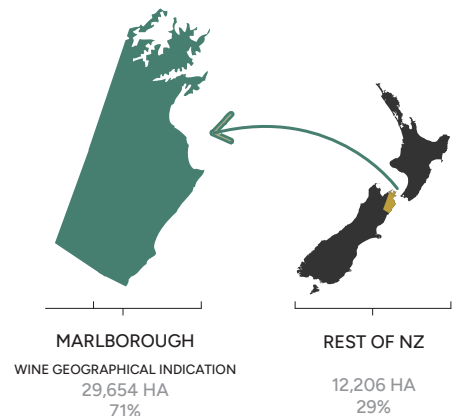
% OF TOTAL GRAPE GROWERS



% OF TOTAL WINE COMPANIES



TOTAL PRODUCING AREA



Source: New Zealand Winegrowers Annual Report 2023

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