



# Louis Latour Agencies

## Snake's Tongue Pinot Noir Pyramid Valley

Vintage	2021
Country of Origin	New Zealand
Region	Central Otago
Grape varieties	Pinot Noir

### Wine description

Snake's Tongue Pinot Noir is Pyramid Valley's newest addition to their Botanical Collection. It is named after the dominant pasture plant found in the vineyard. This wine has a strong personality. Darker than the Waikari wines and more evocatively fruited, it nevertheless has the Pyramid Valley stamp of energy, freshness, long svelte tannins and in this case, a touch of Manata chalk, velvet and thyme.

### Tasting note

This wine has a dark purple velvet hue. A complex and alluring nose of rich ripe plums and wild thyme giving a beautiful depth and warmth to the aromas. The mouthfeel is plush and silky with a velvety texture that holds the intense fruit together. A true representation of this very special piece of land.

### Vineyard information

Soil composition	Loess over deep silts
Environmental management	Organic conversion

### Winemaking information

De-stemmed	25% whole bunch
Fermentation vessel	Open top concrete tulipe fermenter
Fermentation	Natural vineyard yeasts
Maturation vessel	Puncheons (500L), 25% new oak
Maturation time	12 months

### Wine Analysis

Alcohol by volume	14.5%
pH	3.96
Acidity (grams per litre)	4.6 g/L

