

2015 Grüner Veltliner Kuitpo - K1 Vineyard

CRFT Wines is owned and operated by winemakers Candice Helbig & Frewin Ries, with a commitment to CRaFTing unique, single vineyard wines that champion the specific locations in which they were grown.

The Vineyard

K1 Vineyard is owned and farmed by Geoff Hardy.



Site location: Kuitpo - Adelaide Hills Map coordinates: -35.226406,138.668736

Planted: 2009

Elevation: 300 to 320m
Aspect: West facing
Harvest: 3rd March 2015

Tonnes: 1.92T

Soil: Bright clay with gravel, quartz, ironstone and sandstone.

The Winemaking

100% Adelaide Hills Grüner Veltliner.

Gently whole bunch pressed and fermented cool & slow in stainless steel to preserve the purity of the vineyard, followed by time on lees for mouthfeel.

Crafted with minimal additives, all CRFT wines are vegan.

Bottled 25th June 2015

Production: 1.548 bottles - 129 dozen

The Wine

Lifted and fragrant with white pear and quince blossom. The nose hinting at warm spice with fresh ginger and a pop of star anise, while the slatey minerality mirrors the cool slopes of Kuitpo. The palate is textural and giving, showing crunchy acidity with a lingering white nectarine and stone fruit finish.

Drinking... Enjoy now or cellar to 2025.

Alcohol: 12.5% alc/vol pH: 3.08

TA: 6.50 g/L GF: 0.09 g/L (dry)