

Sipsun

Nelson, New Zealand

Winemaker: Theo Coles & Alex Craighead

Region: Nelson, New Zealand

Location: Christchurch, New Zealand

Appellation: Nelson, New Zealand



Organic farms across the South Island.



Three quarters Pinot Noir, half the blend macerated on skins for eight to ten days, a quarter fermented carbonic, with Pinot Gris all in stainless steel.



Practicing Organic



75% Pinot Noir & 25% Pinot Gris

About the Winery/Winemaker

Sipsun is a collaboration between winemakers Alex Craighead and Theo Coles, made at their urban winery in the center of Christchurch. A blend of the winemakers' respective strengths Craighead's technical mastery of flawless, zero-additive fermentation and Coles' focus on textural, pre-industrial winemaking. Fruit is chosen season by season from across the South Island for brightness and energy rather than weight — low intervention winemaking, without letting the process matter more than what ends up in the glass.

