

# TERRA BLANCA

WINERY & ESTATE VINEYARD

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## 2008 ONYX

56% CABERNET SAUVIGNON / 37% MERLOT  
4% PETIT VERDOT / 2% CABERNET FRANC /  
1% MALBEC

“The 2008 ONYX jumps out of the glass with a huge concentration of dark fruits. Smooth textures and flavors of marionberry fruits wash over the mouth with a long, rich cassis and dark chocolate finish.”



Keith Pilgrim,  
Owner/Winemaker



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## VINEYARD

*Red Mountain Estate Vineyard*

Growing Conditions : The 2008 growing season had an early start in the spring, it continued with moderate summer temperatures and overall was a mild growing season. This allowed for a timely harvest between September 17 and October 11. Vines were fifteen years old, grown in unilateral cordons on a vertical shoot position trellis. Vines were cropped at a very low 1.75-3 tons per acre. Our sustainably farmed vineyard is Salmon Safe certified.

## HARVEST

Sugar - 24.6 ° Brix / Titratable Acidity - 0.500g/100ml / pH - 3.6

Fermentation in both open and closed tanks with a variety of yeast types. Aged for up to 32 months in French oak barrels, 75% new.

## BOTTLE

Titratable Acidity - 0.600g/100ml / pH - 3.85 / Alcohol - 13.5% by volume / Production - 606 cases

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*White Earth. Blue Skies. Red Mountain.*