



Port Phillip Estate Morillon Pinot Noir 2009 - Reviews

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Nick Stock

This has quite a profoundly spicy nose: exotic Moroccan spices, fragrant and savoury, with an undercurrent of ripe dark-cherry fruit and sweet, earthy notes below that; the oak adds a meaty edge. The palate shows plenty of oak in terms of flavour and structure; toasty, sweet spices thread through bright, juicy cherry/plum flavours. Great length and definition here – plenty of time ahead too.

Rating: 94

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Jeremy Oliver

Musky, smoky and minty aromas of red cherries, redcurrants, chocolate/vanilla oak and baked earth are lifted by a scent of red flowers and backed by hints of menthol and briar. It's very firm and bony, with almost a sinewy structure beneath its bright, translucent fruit, finishing just a little hard and raw. It should flesh out and soften considerably after a couple of years.

Rating: 93

WBM WINE 100, November 2011 Mike Bennie

Earthy, dusty, savoury notes, sweet spice, black cherry fruit, palate is fine and elegant, lithe, maybe a little stern, but leanness is also a focus here. Has a good feel and fine aperture. Rating: 92/100

JAMES HALLIDAY WINE COMPANION 2012 KOOYONG AND PORT PHILLIP ESTATE COMBINED WINERIES OF THE YEAR 2012 James Halliday

Pure red cherry and Asian allspice are delivered on the bouquet; almost essency in its purity, with superfine-grained tannins aplenty, tightly wound fruit and crunchy acidity providing a linear, yet generous, experience from start to finish. Rating: 95

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