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Winery Name	Wine Name	Region	100 pts	5 Stars
Ant Moore	Signature Series Sauvignon Blanc 2019	Marlborough	93	5
<p>Powerfully expressed and instantly appealing, the bouquet shows kiwifruit, passionfruit, lime peel and crunchy apple notes on the nose. The palate delivers excellent fruit intensity and juicy mouthfeel, brilliantly supported by vibrant acidity. At its best: now to 2022. \$21.00. www.antmoorewines.com. May 2020.</p>				
Ant Moore	Signature Series Pinot Gris 2019	Marlborough	91	4.5
<p>Beautifully ripe and inviting, the bouquet shows Gala apple, fresh pear, apricot and floral characters with a hint of spice. It's succulent, plump and smooth on the palate, delivering bright fruit flavours together with silky texture, offering lovely drinking. At its best: now to 2022. \$20.00. www.antmoorewines.com. May 2020.</p>				
Ant Moore	Signature Series Pinot Noir 2017	Marlborough	91	4.5
<p>Complex and engaging, the wine shows dark cherry, thyme, toasted spice, almond and dark mushroom characters on the nose. It's juicy and flavoursome on the palate with lovely fruit intensity backed by fine texture and savoury nuances, finishing lingering and silky. At its best: now to 2023. \$29.00. www.antmoorewines.com. May 2020.</p>				
Ant Moore	Signature Series Chardonnay 2018	Marlborough	93	5
<p>It's gorgeously fruited and richly expressed on the nose showing golden peach, mango, vanillin oak and subtle butterscotch notes. The palate displays excellent weight and generous mouthfeel, beautifully complemented by creamy texture and well-balanced acidity, making it fabulously drinkable. At its best: now to 2022. \$25.00. www.antmoorewines.com. May 2020.</p>				
Pear Tree	Sauvignon Blanc 2019	Marlborough	91	4.5

Pristine and beautifully lifted, the bouquet shows Granny Smith apple, nectarine, rockmelon and kaffir lime characters, followed by a flavoursome palate that's intensely expressed and lively. The wine offers excellent varietal flavours combined with refreshing acidity. At its best: now to 2021. \$20.00. May 2020.

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Ratings

5 Stars	100 pts	
5	96 - 100	Exceptional quality exhibiting highest level of concentration and complexity.
5	93 - 95	Outstanding quality showing varietal purity and exemplifying regional type.
4.5	89 - 92	Excellent quality showing high level of concentration and balance.
4	85 - 88	Very good quality displaying attractive flavours and good balance.
3.5	81 - 84	Good quality, easy drinking with straightforward flavours.

Not all wines tasted by Wine Orbit are published including those rated below 3 stars.