



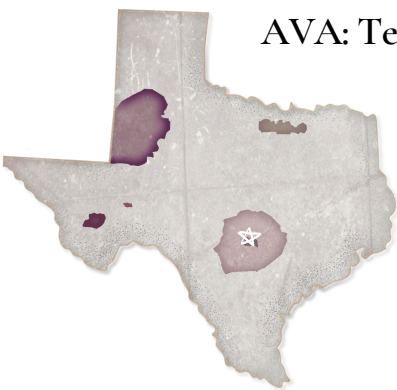
Focused on Texas grown wines made in an Old World style with low-intervention winemaking. Since 2008, founders William "Bill" Blackmon and Chris Brundrett have sourced grapes from Estate vineyards and partners alike, prizing sustainable practices and the expression of Texan terroir.

2022 TANNAT Vintage Press Vineyard

Known in France and Uruguay for its exceptional tannic structure, Tannat (tuh-nawt) is proving to be a defining red grape variety in the Texas Hill Country - worthy of aging while remaining accessible in its youth.

VARIETY: 100% Tannat

VINEYARD: Vintage Press Vineyard



AVA: Texas Hill Country

COUNTY: Gillespie

In 2016 Doug Wilcox planted 12 acres of Grenache, Mourvèdre, Syrah, and Tannat, just a stones' throw from Hye in Stonewall, Texas. The close proximity to William Chris Vineyards allows for our teams to work together to help the fruit showcase what is special about this particular site, home to the clay loam soil over limestone that runs through the old Pedernales River Basin.

2022 VINTAGE: One of the driest vintages of the last few decades. About 40% reduced yield, heat that spurred ripening, and rain around harvest time led to an interesting, one-of-a-kind vintage.

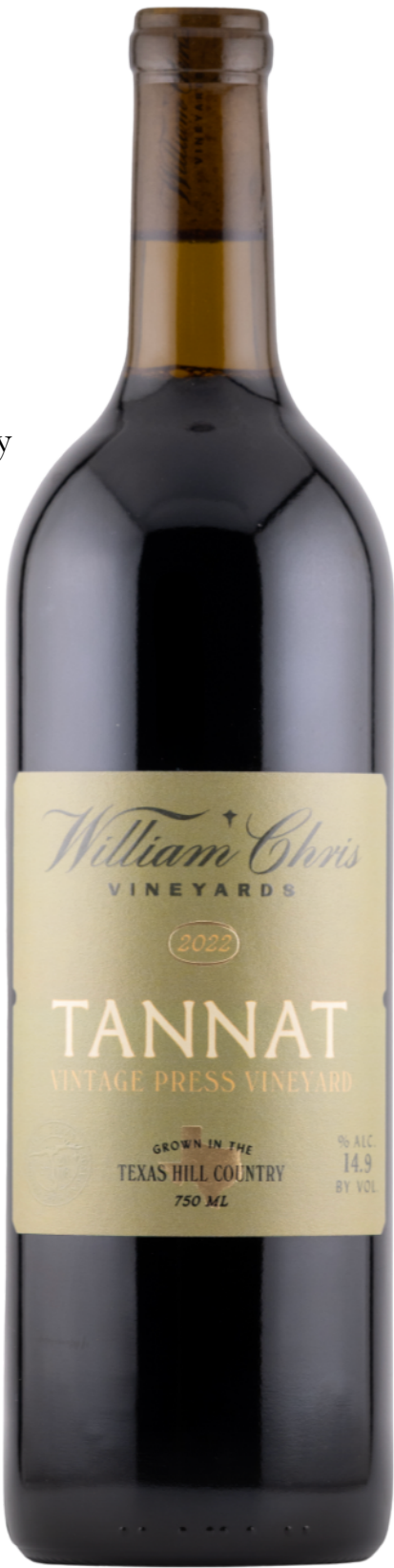
TASTING NOTES

Crunchy red berries lead the aroma, which is laced by subtleties of anise, black tea, and earth. The classic minerality that we've seen from Vintage Press Vineyard peaks through. On the palate the fruit is so pure and focused that the tannins already feel harmonious. Full-bodied.

FOOD PAIRING



Pair with anything grilled and seasoned, especially game, and triple cream cheeses.



WINEMAKING: Fermented in large oak fermenter for 7 days.

Aged in 100% neutral French oak barrels for 30 months.

AGE OF VINES: 6 years

Serve at 59° F | Decant for 30 minutes

SOIL TYPE: Clay loam over limestone

Drink now to 2038

ELEVATION: 1,516 feet

ABV: 14.8% | pH: 3.79 | TA: 6.32 g/L | RS: 2.59 g/L

CASES PRODUCED: 242



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100% Texas grown wines.