

HB Wine Merchants presents wines from: **Tzafona Cellars**

CANADA



Origin Series Riesling

VQA Niagara Peninsula



Brand Highlights

- Founded in 2014 by Toby Berkel and Rabbi Avraham Gislason, winemaker at Tzafona Cellars, the goal of the estate is to make high quality wine at world scale quality.
- The winery expanded by purchasing and developing 100 acres of vineyards in 2021 and built a winery dedicated to produce kosher wines using world class winemaking equipment and knowledge.
- 100% Riesling harvested from 4 Mile Creek and Twenty Mile Bench vineyard sites in the Niagara Peninsula region where limestone-clay soils, elevation and moderating breezes from Lake Ontario combine to create a medium dry, high quality Riesling.

The Estate

The winemaker, Rabbi Avraham Gislason wanted to find a winery where he could take over one production line and make true Kosher wine from the cold climate fruit of the Niagara Peninsula. Eventually he partnered with Toby Berkel, an entrepreneur and Diamond Estates Winery located just north of Niagara Falls, the first host winery of his project. With the addition of Dovid Khazanski to the team the project has turned into an estate winery with both vineyard holdings and winery facility in Niagara on the Lake. The transition to organic farming is underway along with sustainability and environmental consciousness as the guide for the future. The ultimate goal is “to provide the world with an organic, kosher, premium wine experience that expresses the unique nature of the Niagara Peninsula... A rare taste of the north.”

Wine Making

Cool temperature fermentation in stainless steel over a six week period using extended lees aging without stirring to promote mouthfeel while maintaining focus and clarity. The fermentation is halted at 12.5% alcohol with 14 g/l residual sugar and 6.8 g/l of total acidity. This wine is Kosher for Pesach, and Mevushal.

Tasting Notes

This wine is expressive and crisp, showing notes of white peach, green apples, and a hint of lime. It has a gentle fruitiness and a balance of sweetness and acidity with gives the wine a lightness and persistence. This wine is perfect by itself, with spicy Thai dishes, sushi, and various lighter cheeses. Try it with a red curry and you will be rewarded with a perfect match.

Press



Product Specifications

- Pack: 750mL/12 [Cork]
- UPC: 6 28693 54206 7
- SCC: 1 06 28693 54206 4
- Case: 12.5" x 9.5" x 13.4"