

# 2009 DEL RIO PINOT NOIR

*A Truly Classical Pinot Noir*



*100% Pinot Noir*

## VINEYARD

Grown in Rogue Valley Appellation of Southern Oregon, this Pinot Noir is a blend of two vineyard blocks: Block 1 the newest and Block 8 the oldest. This block combination contributes both structure and ripe aromas, providing a finished complex blend.

## WINEMAKING

Barrel aged for 10 months in 100% in French oak.

## STATISTICS

pH - 3.62  
TA - 5.1 g/L  
Alcohol - 12.7%

## VINTAGE NOTES - 2009

The midsummer's heat wave accelerated the sugar development and resulted in an early start of harvest. The dry harvest gave way to cooler conditions in late September, delaying the picking of our reds. Fortunately, the majority of the fruit was already near to full ripening, which led to fruity well-balanced white wines and structured reds.

## CLONE

3 Dijon Clones 667, 777, & Pommard

## TASTING NOTES

Our 2009 Pinot Noir has a bright ruby color and displays aromas of cherry, rosemary, and vanilla. The nose leads to delicate violet flavors, accompanied by a structured mouthfeel that will ensure long aging.

## FOOD PAIRING

This wine will harmoniously accompany your meat and game dishes such as salmon, lamb chops, roast duck and wild mushrooms.

## 2500 CASES PRODUCED



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