

• GRAN • MORAINÉ

2022

Cascade Pinot Noir

Our 2022 Cascade Pinot Noir is *lively and energetic with a sultry ripeness on the finish.*

The 2022 growing season began warm and dry, with an unexpected frost that came through the Willamette Valley. From late May to early July, vine growth was incredible. Flowering took place the first week in July, setting up for harvest the end of September. Clusters were big and fruit set was colossal. October was one of the warmest and driest on record, bringing in dry and happy fruit. This year is set up to be a truly classic Willamette Valley vintage.

AROMAS

Sun baked earth, lavender, elderflower, white pepper, Doug fir chips, peony, brown sugar

FLAVORS

Evergreen huckleberries, Kirsch, matsutake mushroom, hibiscus tea, light roasted coffee beans, goji berry

TEXTURE

Broad and smooth mid to finish with a sultry ripeness that finishes with a spicy slightly bitter dark chocolate and raspberry leaf component

HARVEST

September 9, 2022

AGING

10 months in 22% new French oak barrels

CLONES

115, 667

TA

0.59 g/100ml

ALCOHOL

12.9%

PRODUCTION

210 cases

PH

3.54

OUR VINEYARD

Nestled in the eastern foothills of Oregon's Coastal Range, on the wild western edge of the Yamhill-Carlton AVA, the range's peaks to the west and south buffer maritime winds and rain from the Pacific Ocean, creating a more temperate growing season distinct from neighboring vineyard sites. Planted in 2005-2006 to Pinot Noir and Chardonnay Dijon clones, the 194-acre vineyard perches in thin marine sedimentary soils, and diversity of block exposures and elevation offer a diverse palette for our farming and winemaking team.

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Gran Moraine wines shine a light on the monologue of the Gran Moraine Vineyard, lifting its voice and vibrant energy through a signature style of elegance and restraint, with a fresh through-line of acidity. A style that has established the winery as a leader in the Willamette Valley.

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