

# 2021 CUMBERLAND RESERVE PINOT NOIR

## WILLAMETTE VALLEY AVA

Named for the road where our family grew up in Portland, Oregon, our Cumberland Reserve represents a blend of some of the finest barrels from our five estate-farmed vineyards, all carefully combined to showcase Oregon Pinot Noir at its best. Our Cumberland Reserve is the epitome of the Bergström style: the expression of a unique vintage's character combined with the perfect marriage of spice, mineral, and fresh fruit flavors.

#### Farming

- Estate-sourced from Bergström, La Spirale, Silice, & Le Pré du Col Vineyards in Dundee Hills, Ribbon Ridge, and Chehalem Mountains AVAs.
- Pinot Noir represents about 80% of the total Bergström estate acreage
- Soils: Marine sedimentary sandy soils and volcanic basalt clays
- Exposures: Various
- Vines: 16-22 years old
- Clonal Selections: Pommard, Wadenwil, and Dijon 777, 115, 114, 667, & 828

#### Winemaking

- 100% whole-cluster fermentation in open-top, stainless steel fermentation tanks. Pumpovers only.
- 228L French oak cooperage (15% new oak)
- 100% malolactic and alcoholic fermentation (no residual sugars or malic acids)
- 11-month élevage in barrel
- No fining. Polishing filtration if needed.

#### **Tasting Note**

Bright red in color. The youthful nose teems with sweet Hood strawberries, tart cherry, pipe tobacco, and subtle herbaceous spice. Incredibly approachable and fruit-forward, its succulence is balanced with tart acidity and delicate structure. The presence of whole cluster tannin gives this elegant wine both character and bottle age-ability.

### **Technical Details**

- Alcohol: 12.4%
- Varietals: 100% Pinot Noir
- Harvest Dates: September 1-16, 2021





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