Macline

Inspired by creating varietally true Pinot Noir, we source from cool-coastal regions throughout California to craft a wine that is clean, effortless, and accessible.

100% PINOT NOIR

COOL-CLIMATE REGIONS

HARVESTED AT LOW BRIX

MINIMAL INTERVENTION

MINIMAL MANIPULATION

SMALL LOT FERMENTATION

FRENCH OAK ON ALL LOTS



We make 100% Pinot Noir.

The beauty of making an expressive Pinot Noir lies in the easy approach. We let the fruit speak for itself, intervening as little as possible, which means minimal intervention and minimal manipulation from start to finish. We want the terroir to shine through each bottle, reflecting the true nature of Pinot Noir.

VINEYARDS Great wine begins in the vineyard, which is why we work with cool climate sites from the most ideal appellations for Pinot Noir throughout California. We've cultivated long-term relationships with top growers who are dedicated to thoughtful farming which ensures we always have high quality fruit, resulting in consistency in our wines.

CALIFORNIA: The most profound contributing factor to the outstanding quality of our California Wines, and the integrity of the varietal, is the diversity of its sourcing. Each individual lot promotes freshness, with bright fruit and rich color that keep our cornerstone Pinot Noir generous and vivid, and true to its varietal.

RESERVE: We select lots that with floral and spicy aromatics, earthy undertones, and bright red fruit with integrated, plush tannins. Each component comes together to make a beautifully balanced wine and is the embodiment of our favorite characteristics from one of our favorite Pinot Noir growing regions in the state.

WINEMAKING

Depending on the lot and vintage, we impart 15%-25% whole cluster fermentation and partial indigenous yeast fermentation. We utilize small-lot open-top fermenters, implementing consistent gentle punch downs for cap management, and gentle pressing upon completion. French oak, and a distinct selection of coopers is key, and determined by each individual appellation and program.



THE WINES

We've been making 100% single-varietal wine for over 30 years. Each vintage represents what we love most about the varietal. Generous and vivid, while striking the perfect balance of fruit and earth, acidity, and tannin. Ultimately, our Pinot Noir tastes like Pinot Noir - bright, focused, and clean.

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