

Acrobat

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2008
OREGON
PINOT GRIS



Wine Spectator WINE ENTHUSIAST

89 Points
"BEST VALUES"

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TECH 12.5% alcohol, TA 0.62g/100ml, pH 3.28, RS .65%

PRODUCTION 12,000 **SUGGESTED RETAIL** \$11.99

FERMENTATION 100% stainless steel temperature controlled tanks. Punch down two to three times a day.

AGING 100% sur lie aged for five months

WINEMAKER TASTING NOTES

COLOR Very pale straw with golden highlights

NOSE Green apple, grapefruit, lime zest, and pear

FLAVORS Tangerine, lemon, kiwi, pineapple

MOUTHFEEL Crisp entry with nice balance between acidity and residual sugar, round and full mid-palate, clean refreshing finish

GROWING SEASON:

2008 was a classic Oregon vintage. A cool spring started the vintage off slowly, but warm summer weather allowed the grapes to catch up and grow at a steady, even pace. Estate heat summation was typical, 1807 growing degree days vs. the average 1811. The summer saw below average rain fall with only 6.75 inches between April and October, including a minimal 1.5 inches that fell during the critical late-September / early-October pre-harvest period. As a result, fruit was clean, ripe and concentrated.



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