

TWOMEY

2020

MONUMENT TREE VINEYARD

PINOT NOIR

A consistently dry vintage, 2020 was noteworthy for the concentrated and structured wines that it produced. The Anderson Valley experienced a mild winter with below average precipitation, and a warm, dry spring and summer followed—a combination that led to smaller canopies and fewer grape clusters per vine. This lighter crop load primed the grapevines for full ripening, and as the season progressed, heat events became more frequent, leading to an early development of flavor and tannins in the berries. Despite the lack of moisture in the soils, the small, concentrated grapes had excellent balance of sugar to acidity, showcasing the potential of this cool, northeastern-facing vineyard located in the Deep End of the Anderson Valley.

Harvest started at Monument Tree Vineyard on September 12 and wrapped just three days later. This bottling comes primarily from Block 8 and Block 12, making it a blend of Dijon clones 114 and 115 with a small amount of Dijon 777 blended in from Block 7.

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HARVEST DATES

September 12–14, 2020

ALCOHOL

14.5%

AVERAGE BRIX

24.6°

BARREL AGING

13 months in barrel

6 months on primary lees

BARRELS

100% French oak, 29% new

RELEASE DATE

March 2023

