

TWOMEY

2021

MONUMENT TREE VINEYARD

PINOT NOIR

2021 was an excellent vintage in Anderson Valley. The start of the growing season in late winter and early spring was cool and dry, allowing the vines to produce balanced canopies. Unsettled weather during bloom lowered yields slightly yet set the stage for a classic vintage. Rainfall was at historically low levels throughout the season, and a warm, dry summer pushed ripening forward. With small berry size, the resulting wines had great concentration and depth. Fall temperatures remained warm, and the harvest window was condensed. The first pick at our Monument Tree estate vineyard was on September 13, and the final fruit was picked on September 17.

The 2021 Twomey Monument Tree Vineyard Pinot Noir is exemplary of the wines this estate can produce. The nose opens with earthy and herbal notes reminiscent of a redwood forest floor backed by black fruit aromas. The approach is broad with structured tannins and notes of mulberry and dried herbs, plus a resinous quality that this vineyard is known for. The finish is long and smooth driven by an elegant acidity, boysenberry and nutmeg.

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HARVEST DATES

September 13-17, 2021

ALCOHOL

14.4%

AVERAGE BRIX

24.6°

BARREL AGING

10 months in barrel

6 months on primary lees

BARRELS

100% French oak, 32% new

RELEASE DATE

June 2024

