



TWOMEY

2019 BEARMAN BEND VINEYARD PINOT NOIR ANDERSON VALLEY

TASTING NOTES

APPEARANCE

Ruby

AROMAS

Kirsch, violet and clove

PALATE

Bright strawberry with notes of rose petal and black tea

MOUTHFEEL & FINISH

Supple, forward mouthfeel with a lively finish

NOTES FROM THE VINEYARD

The inaugural vintage for the Bearman Bend Vineyard bottling was a classic and remarkable year in the Anderson Valley. A cool and relatively wet spring refilled the soil moisture reserves, allowing the vines to flourish during the long, warm summer months. Throughout the grapevine's key phenological stages—bloom, fruit set, veraison and ripening—ideal growing conditions primed an abundant and beautiful harvest. In early fall, cool, crisp maritime breezes and fog layered each evening, balancing the few ephemeral heat events. This dance between the cold nights and warm, sunny days helped to preserve freshness and deepen flavor concentration. Bearman Bend's predominantly southwestern exposure, which faces the Pacific coastline, allowed for exceptional ripening without sacrificing balance. Picked within a weeklong window and composed primarily from two blocks of Mount Eden with small amounts of Calera and Pommard clones, this blend highlights the quintessential elegance and balance found in Anderson Valley Pinot Noir. Showcasing classic bright berry aromas with floral and citrus undertones, the refined tannin structure is complemented by an elegant texture and persistent, bright finish.

HARVEST DATES

September 13–20, 2019

ALCOHOL

14.5%

AVERAGE BRIX

25°

BARREL AGING

13 months in barrel
6 months on primary lees

BARRELS

100% French oak, 43% new

RELEASE DATE

September 2021