TENDRIL
WINE CELLARS

TECHNICAL NOTES

2021 C-Note

Whole Cluster Pinot Noir



VARIETAL
100% Pinot Noir, whole cluster

AVA
100% Willamette Valley

AGING
17 months in French oak barrels; 100% new

PRODUCTION
95 cases

ALCOHOL · PH
14.2% · 3.78

STYLE & WINEMAKING

C-Note owns the room: bold, smooth and impossible to forget. It's fermented entirely as whole clusters, stems and all, which builds spice, lift and a firm tannin backbone. We then age it exclusively in new French oak barrels, giving the wine the depth and polish to carry that confident presence for years.

VINTAGE NOTES

In the northern Willamette Valley, budbreak came in mid-April and bloom in early June. Heavy rain on June 13 banked soil moisture just before a record late-June heat dome (Portland hit 116°F on June 28), and because ripening hadn't begun, the vines came through largely unharmed. A long, dry summer ended with the first notable rain in over 90 days on September 18, and cooler fall weather let flavors catch up.

SCAN TO VISIT
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FAVORITE PAIRINGS

Beef bourguignon · Pasta Bolognese · White veal stew · Mushroom fricassee

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