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## LANGE ESTATE WINERY

### *2019 Freedom Hill Vineyard Pinot Noir*

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**THE VINEYARD** Our Single Vineyard Designate series pays homage to the vaunted terroirs of the Willamette Valley. While constrained by these terroirs, as winemakers we still have to summon the blending skills to combine, oftentimes, dozens of different lots of wines from the same vineyard while being mindful of the intriguing sense of place that terroir brings. These wines speak resolutely of where they are grown and are distinctly complex and powerful.

This pinot noir is a blend of fruit from the Lange's long-time partner—Freedom Hill Vineyard, which is planted to marine sedimentary soil. The Langes have sourced fruit from the Duschee family since 1996. The site's typically warm days and cool nights allow for complete fruit ripening while maintaining essential acid balance.

**THE VINTAGE** "The vintage came on early with warm days emerging in April and May. Bud break was on par with recent years, and on the whole the summer was warm without excessive heat spikes. Autumn was devoid of the strong high pressure systems we've been accustomed to in recent years. This compelled additional planning on the part of our winemakers and vignerons. Our harvest started on September 14th, and was focused on whites. With patience and planning, we worked our way into the rhythm of the season, confident that our experience, and the experience of all our growers, would be manifest in sound, ripe grapes." — Executive Winemaker, Don Lange

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<b>VARIETAL</b>	100% pinot noir	<b>AROMAS</b>	blueberry, blackberry, savory herbs, violets, spice cake
<b>CLONES</b>	a blend of traditional and Dijon clones	<b>FLAVORS</b>	plum, black cherry, cocoa powder
<b>APPELLATION</b>	Mount Pisgah	<b>BODY</b>	plush, supple tannins, with a long, seamless finish
<b>ALCOHOL</b>	14.3%	<b>FINISH</b>	mineral tones, baking spice, dried orange peel
<b>PRODUCTION</b>	240 cases	<b>ACCOLADES</b>	2019 - 95 Points - James Suckling 2018 - 96 Points - James Suckling 92 Points - International Wine Report 2017 - 97 Points - "Top 100 Wine 2019" - James Suckling 93 Points - Vinous 2016 - 96 Points - James Suckling
<b>FERMENTATION &amp; AGING</b>	new and neutral French oak barrels		
<b>RETAIL</b>	\$70		