
LANGE ESTATE VINEYARD

2021 Pinot Gris Reserve



THE SERIES Our Reserve series wines have a higher percentage of fruit from our Grand Cru vineyards. These selections were carefully chosen from premier vineyards throughout Oregon's Northern Willamette Valley including Yamhill, Tukwilla, and our own Lange Estate vineyards. By blending fruit from multiple vineyards and from different aging vessels (stainless steel, concrete, and French oak puncheons), father and son winemaking duo, Don and Jesse Lange, have translated the vintage into a single cuvée while showcasing all the versatility and range pinot gris is capable of expressing. The result is a wine with impeccable balance, richness, and textural elegance.

THE VINTAGE "After a relatively wet winter, the 2021 vintage in our Dundee Hills got off to a fine start. The only exception was the appearance of a heat dome in late July. Fortunately, this occurred at a point in the growing season where the grapes were well equipped to handle it: well after flowering and before véraison. The added soil moisture from late winter months helped to buffer the grapes. In fact, when fall arrived, we were amazed at how green the canopy was through the end of harvest. The vintage was on track to equal the total heat accumulation of the legendary 2015 vintage, but cooler weather in late September allowed for more moderate ripening, yielding elegant wines with substance and grace." — Executive Winemaker, Don Lange

VARIETAL	100% pinot gris	AROMAS	white peach, d'Anjou pear, lemon oil, fresh herbs, warm spice
CLONES	traditional clones	FLAVORS	ripe orchard fruit and white peach accented by lemon zest, fresh herb, and mineral tones
APPELLATION	Willamette Valley	BODY	bright and energetic, with vibrant acidity at the core
ALCOHOL	13.3%	FINISH	earthy undertones and wet shell
PRODUCTION	500 cases	ACCOLADES	2021 - 91 Points - "Editors' Choice," Wine Enthusiast 2020 - 91 Points - International Wine Report 91 Points - Wine Enthusiast 2019 - 91 Points - Wine Enthusiast 2018 - 91 Points - Wine Enthusiast 92 Points - International Wine Report
FERMENTATION & AGING	French oak puncheons and concrete		
RETAIL	\$28		