



— LANGE ESTATE WINERY —

2021 Soil Series “Magma Opus” Pinot Noir

THE SOIL SERIES The wines of our 2021 Soil Series are designed for Pinot Noir enthusiasts eager to explore the geological history and depth of terroir in Oregon’s Willamette Valley. Each soil type represents layers of geological history, while also capturing a snapshot of the growing season in every bottle – as we like to think of them, true time capsules.

Our concept for this limited production series is rooted in the themes that Lange Estate has focused on since our first vintage in 1987: enlightenment and a celebration of Pinot Noir. This fascinating grape’s ability to showcase endless nuances and complexities served as a perfect vehicle for the exploration of Oregon and Dundee Hills terroir. Isolating soil type allowed for a focused study of the aromatic and flavor impact that this single varietal provides within the selected vineyard and block.

THE SOIL TYPE Forged from ancient volcanic eruptions, Jory soil, recognized as Oregon’s official state soil in 2011, was formed from the weathering of Columbia River basalt flows, around 25-30 million years ago. Named after Jory Hill in Marion County and the Oregon Trail Pioneering Jory Family, this soil is deep, well-draining, and rich in iron. Its famed iron content provides the distinct hue of the soil and contributed to the Nick-name ‘Red Hills of Dundee.’

VARIETAL	100% pinot noir
SOIL TYPE	Jory Volcanic
APPELLATION	Dundee Hills
ALCOHOL	13.5%
PRODUCTION	95 cases
FERMENTATION & AGING	new and neutral French oak barrels
RETAIL	\$80

AROMAS	black berry, ripe cherry, bursts of bright red fruits of raspberry and cranberry
FLAVORS	suede, dried cherry, dusty minerality, iron
BODY	lively minerality and plenty of acid backbone carries fruit notes onward
FINISH	modest spice and leather, subtle hints of cherry liqueur

VINEYARD CERTIFICATIONS

