

2021 Pinot Noir Julia's Vineyard

Appellation: Santa Maria Valley

Vineyard: Julia's - Block B6

Clone: Pommard

Harvest: By hand on September 30th

Yield: About 3 tons per acre

Crush: Whole-berry destemmed in to a small, open-top fermenter

Inoculum: 3001 after a 3-day cold maceration

Fermentation: 10 days active, with punch downs 2 times daily

Elevage: 16 months in 228 L French Oak barrels, 30% new

Racking: Once in March 2022, then again prior to bottling in March of 2023

Bottling: March 20, 2023 – without fining or filtration

Alcohol: 14.0%

pH: 3.78

TA: 0.55 g/100mL

Production: 274 cases

Retail: \$70