



FAIRSING VINEYARD

2017 Dardis Pinot noir

The Vintage

The 2017 growing season began with record-breaking rain, our weather station recorded a total of 58 inches of rain from October 1, 2016 through April 1 of 2017. Bud break occurred slightly later than average on April 27 and was followed by steady early growth and cool temperatures

The vineyard began to bloom in mid June and late summer temperatures increased the degree day accumulations to a total of 2450.

Select Pinot noir blocks were harvested across the vineyard under blue skies October 4, 2017

This combination of Dijon 115 and Pommard selections was entirely barrel fermented in French oak sourced from the Billon, Sirugue, and Cadus cooperages with emphasis on the Tronçais and Allier forests. Total élevage was ten months with 28% new French oak. Bottling occurred August 27, 2018 with final alcohol of 14.1%.

The Vineyard

Fairsing Vineyard is managed sustainably in Oregon's Yamhill-Carlton American Viticulture Area (AVA) with 38 acres of Pinot noir and five acres of Chardonnay in production.

The vineyard is nestled within a one hundred-acre Certified Family Forest and is distinguished by its biodiversity, varied topography, and panoramic views of the Northern Willamette Valley.

With over 40 years of viticulture and winemaking knowledge, Robert Brittan's extensive experience ensures Fairsing Vineyard wines reflect the abundant beauty and complexity of the estate.

Appellation

Estate Grown Pinot Noir
Yamhill-Carlton AVA

Winemaker Robert Brittan

Selections Dijon 115, Pommard

Harvest October 4, 2017

Bottled August 27, 2018

Aging 10 months 28% new
French oak

Release Fall 2019

Alcohol 14.2%

pH 3.61

TA 6.2 g/L

Price \$62

Production 523 cases

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Estate Grown Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Rosé from Oregon's Yamhill-Carlton AVA