



2001 Pinot Noir

Varietal	100% Pinot Noir
Appellation	Napa Valley
Alcohol	14.2%
Release Date	February 2003
Case Production	200 cases

This is our first ever Pinot Noir! Finding the right combination of throttle and brakes with this grape can be tricky, but you'll find plenty of horsepower and just enough restraint in our 2001 Pinot Noir Napa Valley. From a 3-acre vineyard just below the summit of Oakville Grade, the wine is deep and dark in color, with layers of sweet oak spice and ripe, black cherry fruit. Broadly textured with moderate tannins and hints of earth and smoke that add brooding complexity, the wine is serious, spicy and scarce.