



## Kropf Vineyard Pinot Noir

### Winemaking

Purple Hands is a low input, purity-driven winery. Ferments are a mixture of techniques: Pied de Cuve, native yeasts, and some commercial strains as needed. Whole cluster and skin macerations are vintage-dependent styles. Wines are bottled unfinned and unfiltered to retain the honesty of the vineyard.

**Appellation:** Dundee Hills

**Farming Practices:** Dry Farmed, Organically farmed, not certified.

**Grape Varietal:** 100% Pinot Noir

**Ageing:** 11 Months in French Oak Barrels, 40% New.

**Clones:** Dijon 115

**Soil:** Jory (Volcanic)

**Ageability:** 10+ years

**Elevation:** 300 feet

**Alcohol:** 14%

**Aspect:** East

**pH:** 3.8

**Year Planted:** 2008

**Production:** 168 cases

*This two-acre vineyard consists of the Pinot Noir clone Dijon 115, and 100 percent, well-drained, alluvial Jory soil that formed from basalt rock sediment. Vineyard Owners Jody and Michelle Kropf own and operate Red Hills Market in downtown Dundee, Oregon.*

### KROPF VINEYARD



### Tasting Notes

cherry, white chocolate, raspberry, red licorice, melon, cinnamon, cotton candy

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