

In 1975, this 10 acre vineyard was planted by Gary Fuqua's father, an Oregon wine pioneer and sits just below Holstein and Archery Summit's Red Hills Vineyard. In 2010, the Dave & Anne Wichmann purchased Fuqua Vineyard and renamed it Wichmann Vineyard.



Wichmann 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 unfined and unfiltered to retain the honesty of the vineyard.

Appellation: Dundee Hills

Grape Varietal: 100% Pinot Noir

Clones: Dijon 115, Dijon 777,

Pommard

Soil: Jory (Volcanic)

Elevation: 630-670 feet

Aspect: South

Year Planted: 1975 & 2000

Farming Practices: Dry Farmed,

Sustainable.

Ageing: 11 Months in

French Oak Barrels, 40% New.

Ageability: 10+ years

Alcohol: 14%

pH: 3.7

Production: 480 cases



Tasting Notes

forest floor, rhubarb, black raspberry, caramel, Honeycrisp apple, black licorice, cardamom, spiced cashew

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