

2017

Domaine Divio

PINOT BEUROT WILLAMETTE VALLEY

THE AVA

Framed by the Coast Range mountains to the west and Cascade Mountains to the east, the Willamette Valley AVA forms a cool-climate growing basin ideally suited for the production of traditional Burgundian varieties.

THE WINE

In tribute to our French heritage, we have named our Pinot Gris, "Beurot" - the traditional Burgundian denomination for the variety. The name is derived from the similarity between the brownish color of the Pinot Gris grape skin, and that of the heavy brown fabric worn by French monks in the Middle Ages, known as a "Bure".

Immediate notes of fresh rain on rocks. The nose develops with almond paste, orange blossoms, candied ginger, melon and lemon tart. The palate is bright with lemon zest mixed with creamy flavors. Refreshing and crisp citrus lingers on hazelnut notes and is a reminder of the wine's time aging in neutral French oak barrels.

THE WINERY

At Domaine Divio, Bruno Corneaux applies his traditional Burgundian crafting skills to Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Pinot Gris. Achieved through minimal intervention and sustainability in respect of the land, the wines emphasize the elegance and complexity of our Willamette Valley grapes.

AVA
Willamette Valley AVA

HARVEST DATE
10/3/2017

BRIX AT HARVEST
21.8°

ALCOHOL
12.9%

pH
3.27

FERMENTATION
100% French oak with lees
contact for 6 months

PRODUCTION
150 Cases

RELEASE DATE
Mother's Day 2018

WINEMAKER
Bruno Corneaux

