

2019 Pinot Noir Fe Ciega Vineyard

Appellation: Sta. Rita Hills

Vineyard: Fe Ciega

Clones: Díjon 115, Díjon 667, Mt. Eden & Pommard

Harvest: By hand on September 14th & September 17th

Yield: About 2.25 tons per acre

Crush: Whole-berry destemmed in to small, open-top fermenters as individual clonal lots

Inoculum: Assmanshausen & 3001 after a 2-day cold maceration

Fermentation: 14 days active, with punch downs 2 times daily

Elevage: 16 months in 228 L French Oak barrels, 28% new

Racking: Once in March 2020, then again prior to bottling in March of 2021

Bottling: March 22, 2021 – without fining or filtration

Alcohol: 14.0%

pH: 3.50

TA: 0.556 g/100mL

Production: 324 cases

Retail: \$75