



DE LOACH  
VINEYARDS

*Pinot Noir*

MASÚT VINEYARD  
EAGLE PEAK  
MENDOCINO COUNTY  
VINTAGE 2021

#### IN THE VINEYARD

The northwest facing hillside of Masút Vineyard teems with life: grazing sheep, bees and roaming chickens are part of the land's vibrant nature. While a warm site, a nice breeze cools the vineyard each afternoon. In 1996, Pinot Noir was planted according to Biodynamic® principles; today, these vines are tended to by renowned pioneers of Biodynamic farming, Jacob Fetzer and his family.

#### CONVERSATIONS WITH THE WINEMAKER

The small block of clone 115 backs into the woods allowing for early ripening. To best preserve the quality of the grapes and fully express their unique terroir, the wine is vinified in open-top fermentors using native yeasts. The grapes undergo hand punchdowns and after the maceration is complete, the juice is extracted using a gentle basket press.

#### TASTING NOTES

The nose of this captivating wine unfolds with enticing notes of fragrant English tea and indulgent chocolate, intertwined with the invigorating essence of fresh berries. The palate unveils an exquisite fusion of vibrant cola and luscious strawberry jam, harmoniously interwoven with the opulence of earthy nuances and the allure of a forest floor. With a medium-bodied presence, this wine envelops the senses, leaving a lingering and utterly intoxicating finish that captivates the soul.

#### TECHNICAL NOTES

APPELLATION:  
Eagle Peak

ALCOHOL: 14.5%

PH: 3.33

TA: 5.6 g/L

AGING: French oak,

MONTHS IN BARREL: 20

BOTTLING DATE: August 24,  
2021

