

# WINERY

#### iOTA Cellars

- Established 2006
- Use only PSV estate grapes
- Family run from source to bottle
- Under 500 case production
- Hand-crafted with minimal intervention

## ESTATE VINEYARD

Pelos Sandberg Vineyard (PSV)

- Purchased 2000
- Eola-Amity Hills AVA
- Willamette Valley, Oregon
- 11.5 acres Pinot Noir planted in 6 blocks
- Pommard, Wädenswil, Dijon 777/667 clones
- Mon-irrigated vines to promote deep root growth
- Sustainable farming practices LIVE certified
- Oregon grape buyers have included:

Rex Hill (2006-2012)
Big Table Farm (2010-present)
EIEIO & Company (2009-2010)
Bergstrom Winery (2006-2008)
Beaux Freres (2004-2005)

**iOTA 2008 PINOT NOIR** Our most enticing vintage to date, the iOTA 2008 embodies the best attributes of our two previous vintages thus far. Fruit, acid and tannins at play in perfect harmony; mothernature simply did the work for us this vintage! We hope you enjoy drinking it as much as we enjoyed making it!

Bottled unfined and unfiltered as always, it was aged for ten months in three year air-dried French oak barrels, 50% new - 330 cases produced.

This special cuvée is comprised of four clones from our six estate blocks: "Pappou" & "Yiayia," planted to Pommard, "Abino Hill" planted to Wädenswil, "Ana" & "Tonka" planted to Dijon 777 and "Oscar" planted to Dijon 667. Each of these blocks has a unique soil makeup and exposure.

### **IMPRESSIONS**

The '08 iOTA Pinot Noir exhibits a dark, plummy hue. A cornucopia of berries and ripe cherries initially envelope one's nose with notes of sweet vanillin, chocolate, subtle smoke and spice. Upon consumption, the rich and multilayered midpalate unfolds, revealing hints of mineral, soil and dusty rose petal as the smooth, mouth-coating finish beckons one to try yet another sip.

Aerate in your glass and serve at room temperature to fully enjoy its true essence.

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iOTA means "small quantity" and represents our focus. From vineyard blocks and yields to fermentation lots and case production, we carefully tend to the smallest of details in our vineyard and winery to attain the finest results.