



KENWOOD[®]
V I N E Y A R D S

2016

RUSSIAN RIVER VALLEY PINOT GRIS



Our Sonoma County wines showcase the vibrant fruit and balanced complexities for which this beautiful region is famous.

ABOUT SONOMA

Located in the Northwest of the San Francisco Bay Area region in California, Sonoma County has its place among the world's top winegrowing regions with 17 American Viticultural Areas (AVAs or appellations) and almost 60,000 acres of vineyards.

At Kenwood we source grapes from throughout the county to assemble our award-winning wines, and place particular focus on those AVAs we consider the most interesting to create our signature offerings.



FROM THE WINEMAKER

The 2016 vintage had an early dry spring, followed by a long mild summer which gave the vineyards time to slowly mature the fruit to the peak of flavor.

Our Pinot Gris is one of our most critically acclaimed wines, sourced from vineyards that are located in the renowned Russian River Valley. Pinot Gris excels in this cooler region of Sonoma County where the cool evenings and morning fog preserve the enticing fruit aromas and natural acidity that Pinot Gris is known for.

The grapes for this wine were harvested on September 13th, gently pressed and fermented in stainless steel tanks at cool temperatures, giving the wine it's refreshing, fruity character.

Pat Henderson

Pat Henderson, Chief Winemaker

WINE DETAILS

Varietal Composition: 100% Pinot Gris

Appellation: Russian River Valley

Alcohol: 13.5%

Acidity/pH: 6.4 / 3.46

Aging: 100% stainless steel tanks

TASTING NOTES



SMELL

Blood orange,
honey suckle, baking spices

TASTE

Pineapple, hints of nutmeg,
almond and a touch of sweetness

FOOD PAIRINGS

 Lemon Chicken Piccata

 Herb-crusted Tilapia

 Spicy Thai Noodles

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