

KOSTA BROWNE SINGLE VINEYARD SERIES

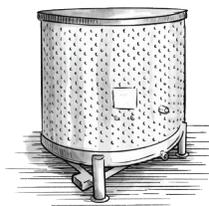
# 2021 Keefer Ranch Pinot Noir

## A Candy Store of Clones in the Coolest Part of the Region

Nestled in the coolest part of the Russian River Valley, Keefer Ranch vineyard is a testament to refinement and grace. Planted in 1996 with elite clones, this remarkable site benefits from the region's gentle winds and enveloping fog, resulting in an extended growing season that yields exceptional Pinot Noir. Since our collaboration with legendary Marcy Keefer began in 2005, we have been captivated by the site's unique character.

At the winery, an array of fermentation vessels were carefully selected to showcase the finesse of Keefer Ranch. This meticulous approach allows for elegant extraction, adding breadth to the final blend. The nose reveals vivid aromatics of strawberry, rhubarb, and citrus zest intertwined with a restrained touch of black licorice. As the wine unfolds, remarkably soft tannins and an all-encompassing texture linger on the finish.

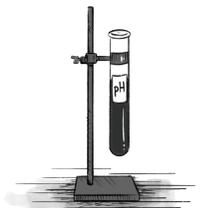
**Fact of Note:** The longest on-skin contact of all the Single Vineyard wines.



53% stainless  
steel



46% new French  
oak



pH 3.57

### VINEYARD DETAILS

**VINEYARD** Keefer Ranch, Russian River Valley AVA

**CLONES** 2A, 115, 777, 828, Pommard

**ORIENTATION** East / West

**TRELLISING** VSP

**SOIL** Goldridge sandy loam

### TECHNICAL DETAILS

**FERMENTATION** 53% stainless steel, 28% concrete, 19% wood

**ÉLEVAGE** 46% new French oak for 16 months

**ALCOHOL** 14.1%

**pH** 3.57

**TA** 5.9 g/L

### TASTING NOTES

**NOSE** Vivacious aromas of strawberry, rhubarb, and citrus zest, with restrained black licorice.

**MOUTH** Delicately smooth tannins and a velvety texture harmonize with vibrant red fruit flavors, culminating in a memorable finish.