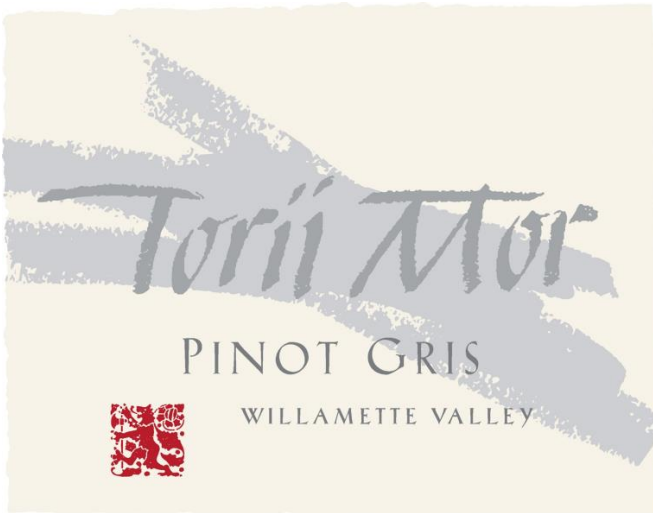


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Background

Winery: Torii Mor

Country: US

Region: Oregon – Willamette Valley

Production: 10,000 cases

Description: Torii Mor was founded in 1972 by Dr Don Olson who purchased an older, ten-acre vineyard in the Dundee Hills with the aim of producing exceptional, Old-World style Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris and Chardonnay. Since its first small vintage in 1993, the estate has grown to over 10,000 cases per year of balanced, elegant wines, guided by Burgundian winemaker Jacques Tardy.

Wine Notes – 2019 Torii Mor Willamette Valley Pinot Gris

Since its first vintage in 1993, Torii Mor has produced elegant and balanced Old-World style wines from Oregon's world-renowned AVAs. The Willamette Valley Pinot Gris is one of Torii Mor's most popular white bottlings and is a blend of estate-grown grapes from the winery's original Olson Estate Vineyard as well as the Kraemer Vineyard. Hand-harvested grapes, 2 months of lees aging in stainless steel with no malolactic fermentation create a clean and fresh Pinot Gris that features aromas of ripe bananas, green apples and fresh-cut grass. The palate features sweet white fruit flavors with a juiciness that extends through the bright finish with nuanced notes of minerality reflecting Oregon's Jory soils. This is a perfect and accessibly-priced summer sipper!

Technical Specifications

Varietal Composition:

100% Pinot Gris

Vineyard Region:

Willamette Valley – 28% Olson Estate Vineyard (Dundee Hills) and 72% Kraemer Vineyard (Willamette Valley)

Vineyard Characteristics:

South / Southwest-facing, Jory soils – 28 year old vines on average

Total Production:

530 cases

Wine-Making / Vinification:

Hand-harvested 100% destemmed grapes, 30-day fermentation on lees in stainless steel tanks using select yeast

Aged 6 months (2 months on lees) in stainless steel, no malolactic fermentation, sterile filtered, 2 months bottle age prior to release

Alcohol / Volume:

13.9%

Residual Sugar:

2.0 g/L

pH:

3.27

Acidity:

6.4 g/L