

# **BENCHMARK PINOT NOIR AND CHARDONNAY SINCE 1992**

Eola-Amity Hills | Willamette Valley, Oregon





## FAST FACTS

YEAR FOUNDED: 1992

**OWNERS: GERRIE FAMILY** 

#### WHO WE ARE:

As stewards of an extraordinary east-facing volcanic hillside, Cristom Vineyards' winegrowing revolves around the philosophy that the greatest expression of terroir produces the finest wines. For over 30 years, we have cultivated benchmark Pinot Noir and Chardonnay that embody a profound sense of place using neo-classical techniques. We remain steadfast in our commitment to the land and approach our daily decisions guided by what is best for Mother Nature 100 years from now. This long-range vision is upheld through our biodynamic and organic farming methods that nurture our soil and the spirit of our team - and our clients and partners who seek out elegant, dynamic, and pure wines from the Willamette Valley, Oregon.

## LAND: 240-ACRE FARM ESTATE | 84 ACRES OF VINES PLANTED

Five world-renowned estate vineyards that are unique in their varied aspects, richly diverse soils, clonal diversity, and micro-climate. Eileen Vineyard (~20 acres; est. 1997); Jessie Vineyard (11.53 acres; est. 1994); Louise Vineyard (18.19 acres; est. 1993); Marjorie Vineyard (~5 acres; est 1982; replanted beginning in 2004); Paul Gerrie Vineyard (28.86 acres; est. 2014)

VARIETIES PLANTED: Pinot Noir, Chardonnay, Pinot Gris, Viognier, Syrah, Gamay Noir

AVAS: EOLA-AMITY HILLS. WILLAMETTE VALLEY

**LOCATION:** 40 miles southwest of Portland | 10 miles northwest of Salem | 45th Parallel

### **WINEMAKING TEAM:**

Tom Gerrie Owner & Winegrower; Daniel Estrin Winemaker & Vineyard Manager; Chris Butler Associate Winemaker; Steve Doerner Winemaker Emeritus; Andy Zorzi; Alex Henderson

#### CRAFTSMANSHIP:

An experienced winegrowing team with intimate, site-specific knowledge and winemaking rooted in traditional methods-site selection, low yields, whole-cluster fermentation, and native yeasts.

ANNUAL CASE PRODUCTION: Approximately 21,000 cases (9L)

**DISTRIBUTION:** 49 STATES & 40+ INTERNATIONAL MARKETS

**SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNTS: Instagram:** @cristomwines | LinkedIn: Cristom-Vineyards

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