

TENOR

2021 Tenor Grenache



The 2021 Tenor Grenache was crafted from the Thunderstone and Corfu Crossing vineyards within the Royal Slope AVA. The winemaking team worked with vineyard managers to restrict yields, creating small, concentrated berries. Thoughtful canopy management and intensive irrigation strategies were implemented. Cool fall nights preserved a sense of freshness in the wine while continuing flavor development. The fruit was hand-harvested early in the morning throughout October.

Upon arriving at the winery, the fruit was cluster sorted with 80% destemmed and berry sorted before it was added on top of 20% whole cluster fruit. The wine spent 30+ days on skins for extended maceration before being barreled down into varying formats new French oak. The wine was cellared for 20 months, with 5 barrels selected and carefully blended. The wine was bottled unfined and unfiltered to ensure the wine in bottle is as pure and vibrant, producing only 132 cases.

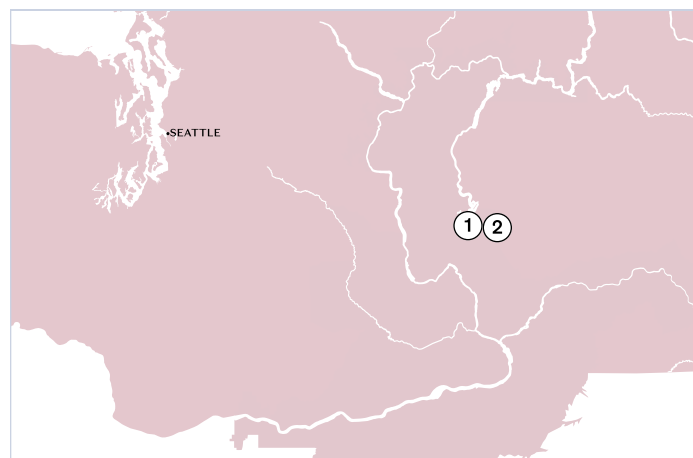
Only one clone was used in the final blend of this wine (Grenache: 3).

“The deep, saturated garnet color creates a distinct 2021 Tenor Grenache. Intense aromas of blackberry reduction, black forest cake, and vanilla powder are supported by a woody incense. On the palate it is equally sappy with blueberry Danish, molasses, and a hint of tarragon. This almost full-bodied wine is seductive and expansive on the palate with ripe, luxurious tannins. The long finish excites with blood orange, baking spice, and milk chocolate flavors.”

– ALEX STEWART, HAL IVERSON, AND JESSE SCHMIDT, WINEMAKERS

SELECT VINEYARDS

1	ROYAL SLOPE AVA	THUNDERSTONE
2	ROYAL SLOPE AVA	CORFU CROSSING



LABELED AVA	COLUMBIA VALLEY
VARIETALS	100% GRENACHE
FERMENTATION	100% STAINLESS STEEL, SPENDING 30+ DAYS ON SKINS
AGING	20 MONTHS IN 100% NEW FRENCH OAK OF VARIOUS FORMAT SIZE
ALCOHOL	15.9%
CASES	132
BEST BETWEEN	NOW – 2035
RETAIL	\$128