

American Grand Cru – Wine Enthusiast



2003 BLOCK 32 | As with earlier vintages this Block 32 release has depth and nuance. This Block's Waidenswil Clone vines always display lots of earth, forest floor and violets. With this vintage it has for the first time intriguing chocolate and coffee notes on the palate.

Retail Price: \$48 per bottle

Pinot Noir Clones:	Waidenswil
Harvest Dates:	October 5
Grape Yield:	2 tons per acre
Quantity Produced:	335 six-packs
Date Bottled:	August 10, 2004
Fermentation Notes:	100% destemmed fruit with a high proportion of whole berries.
Alcohol:	14.8%
Elevage (Aging):	10 months in 71% new Burgundian oak; 29% previously-filled Burgundian barrels.
Vineyard Source:	Shea Vineyard: Block 32

Tasting Notes:

Nose of violets, blackberries and roses. Flavors of huckleberry and vanilla with a velvety texture.