



TECHNICAL NOTES

Vintage:	2009
Varietal:	Pinot Noir
Appellation:	Santa Maria Valley
Grower/Ranch:	56% Soloman Hills, 34% Sierra Madre, Fiddlestix 6%, Rio Vista 4%
Produced and Bottled by:	Rusack Vineyards, Solvang California
Bottling Date:	August 19, 2010
Cases Produced:	686
Bottle Size:	750ml
Retail Price:	\$36.00 per bottle
Release Date:	Fall 2011

Winemakers Tasting Notes: From one of Santa Barbara County's great growing regions. The Rusack 2009 Santa Maria Valley Pinot Noir captures some of this region's classic aromas of strawberry and cherry, with a hint of mesquite, which are followed by flavors of rhubarb and cranberry. The soft silky tannins make for an approachable young wine that is also age worthy

Optimum Storage Conditions: Constant temperature, 55-58° F, darkness.
Aging Potential: To enjoy young fruit aromas, consume within 1-3 years of bottling date. For extended aging under ideal conditions, consume within 3-7 years of bottling date.

Fermentation: Fermented in 1 ton macro bins.
Aging: 100% French oak (33% new) for 10 months. Unfiltered

Bottle Analysis:
Alcohol: 14.3%
pH: 3.55
TA: 0.615 g/100 ml

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