

Battle Creek

✦ A STEP BACK IN TIME ✦

2007 *Pinot Noir*

Willamette Valley, Oregon

TASTING NOTE

The nose is deeply aromatic, with dominant notes of Kola nut, Bing cherries, mocha, baking spices, freshly turned soil and a citrus streak, all nicely framed by toast and vanilla bean. An elegant medium-weight entry, with flavors closely mirroring the aromatics. Silky spherical texture and beautifully harmonious movement into the mid-palate, where the wine gains additional depth and dimension from the finest-grained youthful tannin. Here, too, the wine's wonderfully balanced acidity adds extra vitality and drives the wine through its well-resolved and nicely sustained finish. The same flavors persist, but here an exotic smoky note adds a darker shade to all the fruit, earth and spice notes.

Blend

100% Estate Pinot Noir

Ph

3.25

Vineyards

Battle Creek Vineyard

TA

4.78 g/L

Bottling Date

March 2, 2009

Alc.

13.5%

Release Date

February 2010



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