

À NUITS-SAINT-GEORGES DEPUIS 1825

2021 MERCUREY "LE CLOS DU ROY" PREMIER CRU



STORY

This small parcel, known as a 'clos', formerly belonged to the Kings of France. It was considered as one of the appellation's best parcels and was purchased by the Faiveley family in 1971. This wine could be compared to a Côte de Nuits village in terms of its delicate tannins and length on the palate.

VINEYARD NOTES

Varietals: Pinot Noir

Age of Vines: Years planted: 1971, 1982

Total Hectares: 0.39 ha

Exposure & Elevation: South, South-West

Soil: Clay-limestone, white marls

Viticulture: Currently undergoing Organic Conversion

WINE NOTES

Fermentation: Partial whole cluster fermentation with twice daily pumpovers for a

15-19 day vatting period

Barrel-Aged: 15 months in French oak barrels- 30% new oak

Fining & Filtration: No fining and, light filtration using the lenticular module process

Alcohol: 13.5%

TASTING NOTES

The nose exudes small red fruits combined with notes of oak and spice. The palate offers good balance, rich aromas and delicate tannins resulting in a very distinctive wine with exceptional aromatic persistence.